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TURNER—September 10, 1917, died in action, from gas poisoning, Louis Rex TURNER, A.R.C.Sc.I., Sergeant R.E., third son of J. W. and Mrs. Turner, Demesne House, Dundalk, aged 25 years. Pro Patria.

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BIRTHS.

L'ESTRANGE—September 15, 1917, at 9 Hoe Park Terrace, Plymouth, the wife of Lieutenant P. L'Estrange, a son.

LEWIS-CROSBY—September 18, 1917, at Haileybrook, to Hedy, E. H. and Mrs. LEWIS-CROSBY, a daughter.

WHYTE—September 17, 1917, at Ivanhoe, the wife of George Wayte, temporary Captain R.A.M.C., Lough Inch Island, Co. Down, and 56 Leeson Park, of a daughter.

WORTH—September 18, 1917, at her residence, 51 Mountpleasant square, the wife of James J. Worth, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

FINEGAN and GAMBLE—September 12, 1917, at Drumcondra Church, Dublin, by the Rev. H. C. Shaw, M.A., THOMAS P., second son of the late JOHN FINEGAN, and ELIZABETH FINEGAN, 9 De Courcy square, Glasnevin, to ELIZABETH MABEL ELLEN, eldest daughter of ALBERT E. GAMBLE, 44 Milemount avenue, Drumcondra.

LADD and BELL—September 10, 1917, at Unitarian Church, Banbridge, by Rev. J. Glynne Davies, RALPH ALEXANDER, youngest son of late THOMAS LADD, of 92 Talbot street, Dublin, to MARJORIE, second daughter of SAMUEL BELL, Ballydown, Banbridge.

McCONNELL and NEWMAN—September 12, 1917, at Listowel Parish Church, by the Very Rev. Dean Ardieri, WILLIAM GARDNER McCONNELL, Captain R.A.M.C., second son of the late John McConnell, Brookeboro', Fermanagh, and Mrs. McConnell, Seamount, Portadown, to ELSIE ALICE NEWMAN, second daughter of the late Thomas Newman, Garryard House, Listowel, Co. Kerry.

NAYLER and TERNAN—September 15, 1917, at St. Patrick's Church, Dalkey, by the Rev. R. B. Hughes, Rector of Rathfarnham, CECIL EDWARD, third son of Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES NAYLER, Coolgreany, to ETHEL CHRISTINA, second daughter of the late JOHN TERNAN, of Skerries.

SCULLY and TORMAY—August 28, 1917, at St. John's, Clontarf, by the Rev. J. Hickey, P.P., James Daniel Scully, only son of Jeremiah Maxwell Scully, 6 Windsor Villas, Fairview, Dublin, to TERESA ELEANOR (TESSIE), youngest daughter of the late Philip Tormay (Inland Revenue, Dublin), Whitehall terrace, Clontarf.

DEATHS.

BYRNE—September 18, 1917, at his residence, 21 Long's place, Grand Canal Harbour, Thomas BYRNE, late of Messrs. Tyrrell and Co., to the inexpressible grief of his wife, family, and friends. R.I.P. Funeral, after 10 o'clock Mass, from St. Catherine's, Meath street, to-morrow (Thursday) morning for Glasnevin Cemetery.

COLLINS—September 18, 1917, at Laurel Bank, 70 Grosvenor road, Rathgar, THERESA (CHARLEY) COLLINS. Deeply mourned by her loved sister, her aunt, and two nieces. R.I.P. Funeral, Glasnevin, to-morrow (Thursday) morning, 9 o'clock. No flowers.

DENNISTON—September 18, 1917, EDWARD DENNISTON, of Drumnacross, Edgeworthstown, aged 66 years. Deeply regretted. Funeral from Carlow Infirmary, on Thursday, 2.30 p.m.

HAMILTON—July 17, 1917, at Fort Elizabeth, South Africa, SPENCER MITCHEL, second son of S. M. Hamilton, Sea Point, Cape Town (formerly of Dublin).

JOLLEY—September 19, 1917, at 21 Longwood avenue, South Circular road, after a long and painful illness, borne with heroic patience, KATHERINE, the dearly-beloved wife of the late SAMUEL JOLLEY, and fifth daughter of the late James and Catherine Doyle, of Killinarden. R.I.P. Funeral on Friday morning, after 10 o'clock Mass, from St. Kevin's Church, for the family burial ground, Tallaght, Co. Dublin.

PARMER—September 18, 1917, at the Meath Hospital, Dublin, the beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. PARMER, aged 18 years. Deeply regretted. Funeral from above hospital, 9.30 a.m., to-morrow (Thursday), 20th inst.

PIELOW—August 13, 1917, accidentally drowned at Springfield Lake, Ohio, owing to canoe capsizing, JOHN PIELOW, fourth son of the late Hezekiah Pielow, beloved and loving brother of M. A., W. B., and T. Pielow, of Glenomena, P.O., Millorgan road. Interred at Akron, Ohio, by his brother, JAMES PIELOW. "God's will be done."

QUINN—September 18, 1917, at Howth, NELL QUINN, of 27 Mounijoy square, eldest daughter of the late James Quinn, Templemore, Co. Tipperary. May she rest in peace. Funeral private.

SYTHES—September 15, 1917, at his residence, Maryborough, WM. SYTHES, late Deputy Governor Queen's Co. Prison, aged 69 years. Deeply regretted. Funeral took place at Parish Church yesterday (Tuesday).

IN MEMORIAM.

HANLON—Third Anniversary—In loving memory of THOMAS HANLON, late of East Arran street, and Castlevilla, Castleknock, Co. Dublin, who departed this life 19th September, 1914. Jesus, have mercy on his soul. R.I.P. Inserted by his family.

KIERNAN—In loving memory of MABON VIOLET KIERNAN, of Rathlever, died on 19th September, 1915.

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WANTED, by Irish Lady, Domestic Help, Protestant, to assist mother; small family; kept; comfortable home given in all household duties; good home; references required; 18 to 25.—Mrs. O'Farrell, 8 Porkington terrace, Dunsoghly, Wales. C

WANTED immediately Working Housekeeper, single or widow, middle age, no children, country, and copies of references to Chapman Bros., Bundoran. C

WELL recommended young Girl Wanted, half days, to assist mother; good wages. Apply, evening, 6 Wellington road, Ballsbridge. C

WANTED, Protestant Cook and housework; widow or middle aged no objection. Call 2 Stirling Villas, Dodder road, Rathgar.

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COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED.

A YOUNG country Girl Wanted for Dalkey; must have some experience and be well recommended; plain cooking, small washing; must be fond of children, light duties. Apply Mrs. Limerick.

COOK General Wanted 29th, small house, near town; house parlourmaid kept; family few. Send papers, Mrs. Limerick, Ivy Lodge, Dalkey.

COOK Laundress Wanted, country girl who has been general would suit; also young House Parlourmaid; state age, reference. E 1062, this office.

EXPERIENCED young Cook Wanted, suburbs; £22-£24.—M. Fiwitt, 9 Grafton st.

FIRST class Cook required for seaside hotel, near Dublin; good wages. Apply, with references, E 1101, this office.

WANTED immediately for Holycross House, Thurles, Tipperary, a thoroughly good General where help is kept; no washing. Apply, with discharges, Mrs. Wall, Moira Hotel, Trinity st., Dublin.

WANTED, good plain Cook, £26-£28, and experienced housemaid, £22-£24; four servants, four in family.—Mrs. Overton Park, Cheltenham.

WANTED immediately, good Cook (young), Chester, £40. Apply Irish Times Registry Office. T

WANTED Plain Cook General, small modern house, three in family; £16. Apply Mrs. G. Tisdall, Galtrap, Naas, Co. Meath. C

WANTED, Cook General; strong, active, obliging country girl, family of three, near Palmerstown; emolum. eight shillings, sailing ops, wages.—4551, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

WANTED, experienced Cook for Hotel; state wages and references to Z 3497, Cook," this office.

WANTED, Cook General, very good cooking essential; three in family; state wages. Address "Z 3460, Cook," this office.

WANTED, for Co. Limerick, smart, active Cook General; good wages; must be well recommended. Address "Z 3409, Cook," this office.

WANTED, experienced young Cook, small family; suburbs. Send copies, age, wages expected, 459, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

WANTED, a good Cook, to wet kitchenmaid kept; state religion, age, wages, and reference to Mrs. Bedford, Derry, Kells.

WANTED immediately for Limerick, good plain Cook General; £25; family two; well recommended. Address "Z 3456, Cook," this office.

WANTED, Good Cook General, young; city; family 2. E 1099, this office. E

GENERAL SERVANTS WANTED.

A GENERAL Wanted immediately; £14 (family two); replies stamped envelope.—40 Donnybrook.

BALLSBRIDGE—Wanted, temporary, young General; good wages. Apply 3 Lansdowne road. C

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66 Pembroke road.

GENERAL, experienced Girl, good cook, bread baker, early riser; small wash; good wages.—W., care Mr. Morgan, Mountmellick.

GENERAL Servant Wanted; good plain cook; help given. Apply, after 6 p.m., 49 St. Kevin's Park, Dartry.

GENERAL Wanted, young, clean, tidy; cook, wash, if willing; good temptered; three family; house on tram; £14. Address "Z 3506, General," this office. C

GOOD General Wanted; country girl; washing and cooking; well recommended; stays back. Apply, with references, 2 Adelaide terrace, Glenageary, Kingstown.

GENERAL Servant (R.C.) Wanted, for Ballymena, Co. Antrim, two in family and two small children, nurse kept; must be fond of children, good cook, thoroughly reliable and obliging, able to cook, do small washing and ironing; not more than 27; a bright comfortable home for understanding person; state cooking and is anxious to learn night do. Apply, with references, to "Z 3468, General Servant," this office.

GENERAL.—Wanted, country Girl, with some experience; three in family; good wages. Call or write, Killeevan, Terenure Park, County Dublin.

GENERAL Servant Wanted; good plain cook and housemaid; family two. Apply Dockrell, Clontarf.

GENERAL Servant Wanted (outdoor); plain cooking, small washing.—27 Villiers road, Rathgar.

GENERAL.—Wanted, respectable young Girl with some experience; family three; small washing; Call with good recommendations, 4 to 6 o'clock, Evesham, Terenure road, Rathgar.

GENERAL Servant Wanted, Co. Dublin; no cooking, light washing; accustomed to children; second girl kept; wages £10.—E 1097, this office.

GOOD Plain Cook General Wanted; early riser; good cook; no washing, no children; weekly help given. Apply any day, except Wednesday, after 3 p.m., 7 Dundrum road, Dundrum.

GOOD Working Gardener, single, seeks situation; is thoroughly understands his business, inside and out; could bring home if necessary; highly recommended. Address "Z 3410, Gardener," this office.

GARDENER, disengaged, Michaelmas; married, no family; highly recommended.—Waler, Bray road, Glenageary.

GARDENER wants situation; thoroughly practical, first class grower all kinds of flowers, fruits, and vegetables, also plan and outdoor; state terms. Address "Z 3479, Gardener," this office.

GARDENER (Head Working) requires situation; Protestant; married; highly recommended; first class place. Apply Gardener, Florence Court, Enniscorthy.

WORKING Steward seeks situation; thorough knowledge of all kinds of farm work, machinery, tuning, milking, management of stock; single; highly recommended. Address "Z 3469, Steward," this office.

WORKING Steward or Caretaker—Young married man seeks a situation as above; thoroughly understands his business; highest reference; state terms.—Box 3550, Irish Times Office.

YOUNG Man wishes situation as Gardener or General; milk, drive if required; well recommended.—449, Irish Times Office, Blackrock.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

MATRON, "Irish Times," has Vacancies for all classes of Servants of good type; one fee covers registration and insertion of particulars. Registry Office open for insertion of Advertisements. No fee. Apply REGISTRY OFFICE, 41 WESTMORELAND STREET.

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YOUNG General Wanted; must be good cook; family two. Apply 14 Alma road, Monkstown, Tuesday or Friday, after 6.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

AN experienced Housemaid, needlewoman, required, Kildare, 24th; £20, good paper essential. Address "Z 3494, Maid," this office.

COUNTESS of Kenmare, Kenmare House, Killarney, requires experienced Head Housemaid; must have excellent references and be good needlewoman.

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaids Wanted, for Monday, £20; interviews early to-day; other vacancies.—Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton st.

HOUSEMAID Wanted; an season hotel references; state wages.—O'Meara's Hotel, Nenagh.

WANTED, Parlourmaid; Protestant; state wages, age; send copies.—Mrs. Tottenham Irvine, St. Alden's, Co. Wexford.

WANTED, House Parlourmaid, country; state wages and copies references.—Mrs. Seymour, Killarney, Park, Belmont, King's Co.

WANTED, experienced House Parlourmaid, Co. Dublin; Housemaid kept; must understand lamps, silver, and valet; two discharges, £18-£20; copies. Address "Z 3402, Maid," this office.

WANTED, experienced Housemaid; Protestant; needlewoman; country house near Londonderry; wages £18; copies, testimonials, and two discharges to "Z 3451, Housemaid," this office.

WANTED immediately, young House Parlourmaid, this office; some experience for Upper Leeson st.; must be well recommended; wages £14-£15. Send copies, Box 948, this office.

WANTED, House Parlourmaid for the country, small family; three servants kept. Reply, sending papers, to Mrs. Jackson Graham, Brian Lodge, Carlow.

WANTED immediately, H.C. House Parlourmaid (Protestant); must be good needlewoman; state wages; all particulars.—Mrs. Byrne, The Moorings, Athlone.

WANTED, R.C. House Parlourmaid, Galway; £16; good copies. Address "Z 3483, Maid," this office.

WANTED, experienced H. and P.; h'maid kept; £23-£22; suburbs.—Fiwitt's, 9 Grafton st.

WANTED, House Parlourmaid.

WANTED, superior General, sad who would do nice cooking and light laundry. Girl kept for rough work; country. Address "Z 3507, House Parlourmaid," this office.

NURSES WANTED.

ALL Nurses requiring well paid, comfortable situations should call or write Miss M'Caul, Nurses' Agent, 10 Duke st., Dublin.

WANTED at once for Sandymount, country Girl, to help, mind four children; housework; wages £10. E 907, this office.

WANTED Nurse, for the 25th, for first baby, six months; able sew and wash; must be well recommended; state age and wages.—454, Irish Times Office, Bagot st. Bridge.

WANTED, for Dublin suburb, an experienced Nurse (R.C.), for one baby, to do baby's washing.—E 951, this office.

WANTED, first class Nurse for twins of 4 years; only one long and excellent discharge required.—Mrs. Noble Johnson, Ballyarthur, Glenageary, County Kildare.

WANTED, Kingstown, Nurse, good experience, child eleven months; wages commencing £13. Copies discharges to E 1071, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

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A LADY recommends a cook and House Parlourmaid (Mother and Daughter); going together, Dublin or suburbs; pleasant home. E 1110, this office.

METHODICAL workers, good laundress.—E 953, this office. E

AN experienced young Cook, disengaged; understands baking, dairy, and poultry.—Miss F. Beatty, Wicklow.

COOK, very Good Plain, small family; small washing; wages £16.—Address "Z 3520, Help," this office. E

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COOK, Protestant; disengaged; desires situation in country family; good cook and laundress; £18 to £20.—Miss Hart, Dromdrum, Odlum's Lane, Portarlington.

LADY wants situation, active capable Girl, whom she has known from babyhood, as Under Housemaid, for country home; South of Ireland preferred.—Cusher Carpenter, Dr. Waterford.

PARLOURMAID, experienced, disengaged first week in October; 3 Beaumont Cottages, Drumcondra, Co. Dublin.

PARLOURMAID desires situation immediately; first situation; Protestant; excellent reference.—Miss Ashford, Dromdrum, Odlum's Lane, Portarlington.

PARLOURMAID or House Parlourmaid, experienced, Protestant, disengaged; Bray or neighbourhood; references.—Child, Priory Road, Bray.

PARLOURMAID, or House Parlourmaid, is or near Dublin; can take cook's place; is an excellent cook; good reference. Address "Z 3509, Parlourmaid," this office.

PARLOURMAID, experienced, can carve and valet; disengaged end September; highly recommended. Address "Z 3455, Maid," this office.

RESPECTABLE Girl, Housemaid; wants situation, Protestant family; good reference.—E 1106, this office.

RESPONSIBLE young Girl seeks situation as Housemaid; Co. Dublin; thoroughly excellent; city willing to be trained; good character from P.P. Address Maid, Printing House, Trim.

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MILITARY HONOURS AND AWARDS.

The following is a continuation of the list of Military Honours and Awards, the first part of which appeared in our issue of yesterday. The names of the following Irishmen are included:—

MILITARY CROSS (CONTINUED).

T./Lt. (A./Capt.) R. B. Yeast, R.B.; 2nd Lt. P. St. J. H. Kelleher, Leins. Lt. Spec. Res.; Lt. (T./Capt.) R. L. Keller, R. War. R., Spec. Res.; and Lt. (T./Lt.) W. D. O. Kemmis, Dns. T./Capt. W. M. Knight, R. Innis. Fus., T./Capt. R. W. Lafone, Durh. L.I.; 2nd Lt. B. J. Lankrese, R.F. Spec. Res.; T./Lt. S. Lanyon, Shrop. L.I., Spec. Res.; Capt. A. J. D. Lapham, R. Scots.; 2nd Lt. (T./Lt.) R. H. Law, R. War. R., 2nd Lt. (T./Capt.) G. Lawlor, R. Muns. Fus.; T./2nd Lt. J. W. Lawrie, R.S.; T./2nd Lt. W. J. Leahy, R.E.; 2nd Lt. J. Lee, Ches. R.; T./2nd Lt. (T./Capt.) D. R. Liddell, R.F.A.; 2nd Lt. H. B. Little, R.F.A. Spec. Res.; T./2nd Lt. A. H. Lloyd, R.E.; 2nd Lt. S. Lockhart, L'pool R.; 2nd Lt. W. F. Lonsdale, E. Lan. R.; 2nd Lt. J. C. Lott, L. Lab. Spec. Res.; T./Capt. W. B. Lovegrove, R.A.M.C.; T./Lt. (A./Capt.) E. H. Lucette, North'd Fus.; T./2nd Lt. R. Lucovitch, Worc. R.; T./2nd Lt. V. V. Lynch, R. Muns. Fus.; T./2nd Lt. E. Marshall, Lyness R.; R. Rif.; T./2nd Lt. R. Macbean, D.G.; 2nd Lt. N. Macdonald, R.G.A., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. M. MacDougall, Lond. R.; R. Fus.; T./Lt. E. Manbey, R.F.A.; 2nd Lt. M. B. Mandnell, R.F.A., Spec. Res.; T./2nd Lt. G. E. Manning, E. Surr. R.; T./2nd Lt. E. Mannock, R. Lanc. R.F.C.; T./2nd Lt. O. C. Marris, Ches. R.; T./2nd Lt. J. M. Marsh, N. Lan. R.; T./Lt. E. L. Marshall, R. Innis. Fus.; T./Lt. A. E. Marshall, R. Kent R.; T./2nd Lt. H. E. Marshall, R.R.; Lt. (A./Capt.) J. D. Mason, Ches. R., Spec. Res.; T./Lt. W. McCauley, R.F.A.; T./Lt. J. McConnell, High. L.I.; T./Capt. A. J. McCreadie, M.B., R.A.M.C.; 2nd Lt. D. C. McCulloch, R.F.A., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. T. P. McDowell, R.R.R.C., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. T. McElligott, A.S.C.; 2nd Lt. D. McHugh, R. Ir. Rif.; 2nd Lt. A. F. McKeever, R.F.C., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. A. A. McLaren, L'pool R.; 2nd Lt. H. McLellan, R.G.A., Spec. Res.; T./2nd Lt. J. McMechan, R. Innis. Fus.; 2nd Lt. C. Miller, R.F.A.; Capt. J. M. Miller, R.A.M.C./R.A.F.; T./Capt. T. C. Milne, Gen. List, and R.F.C.; T./2nd Lt. W. Moloney, R. Muns. Fus.; T./Lt. T. F. Monks, R.F.A.; T./Lt. W. S. Moss, R. Kent R.; 2nd Lt. D. A. Moyles, R. Ir. Rif.; 2nd Lt. S. Murray, Mon. R.; T./Capt. W. Nason, Notts and Derby R.; T./2nd Lt. W. Nolley, R. Innis. Fus.; 2nd Lt. L. D. Nottingham, Lon. R.; T./Lt. J. D. O'Brien, R. Ir. Rif.; T./2nd Lt. W. W. Odell, Notts and Derby R.; 2nd Lt. C. Oliver, Manch. R.; attd. M.G. Coy.; 2nd Lt. (A./Capt.) R. W. Page, S. Staff. R.; 2nd Lt. (T./Lt.) T. C. Pakenham, C. Gds., Spec. Res., attd. M.G. Coy.; 2nd Lt. E. W. Parker, R. Fus., Spec. Res.; T./2nd Lt. J. A. Parle, L'pool R.; T./2nd Lt. A. Patterson, R. Innis. Fus.; Capt. H. A. W. Pearse, Beds. R., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. S. Phepoes, R.F.A., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. D. G. Philippe, R. Dub. Fus.; T./Capt. S. E. Picken, M.B., R.A.M.C.; T./Lt. J. A. Picton, E. Surr. R.; 2nd Lt. C. Pigott, R. Ir. Rif.; T./2nd Lt. E. S. Playle, Linc. R.; 2nd Lt. T. H. Porritt, C. Gds., Spec. Res.; Lt. F. T. A. Power, R. Dub. Fus.; 2nd Lt. H. Ralph, R.G.A.; 2nd Lt. A. Ramsay, R. Sco. Fus. and M.G. Corps.; 2nd Lt. (T./Capt.) R. Raymond-Barker, Gen. List and R.F.C.; 2nd Lt. C. Reeves, R.F.C., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. J. F. Rennie, R.F. Artillery; 2nd Lt. V. C. Rice, Yeo.; 2nd Lt. C. R. Richards, R.F.C., Spec. Res.; T./2nd Lt. H. Richardson, R.E.; Lt. C. L. Roberts, M.G. Corps; T./Lt. M. R. Robertson, Essex R.; T./2nd Lt. T. Rothwell, R. Innis. Fus.; T./2nd Lt. (T./Lt.) A. Routledge, Gen. List and R.F.C.; 2nd Lt. G. Rowley, Ches. R.; T./Capt. H. P. Rushforth, Gen. List and R.F.C.; T./Lt. C. T. Saurenien, Durh. L.I.; 2nd Lt. D. M. Saunder, N. Staffs. R., Spec. Res.; T./2nd Lt. (T./Lt.) O. F. Scholle, Gen. List and R.F.C.; T./Capt. J. E. Scott, R. Muns. Fus.; 2nd Lt. M. M. Shaw, Notts. and Derby R., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. A. H. Shooter, York and Lanc. R.; 2nd Lt. A. G. Short, Yorks. L.I.; 2nd Lt. (T./Capt.) M. M. Simpson, High. L.I.; T./2nd Lt. A. S. Simpson, Y. and L. R.; T./2nd Lt. P. D. Sisley, Beds. R., Spec. Res.; T./2nd Lt. C. D. Smart, Gen. List and R.F.C.; T./2nd Lt. G. Smith, S. Staff. R.; 2nd Lt. J. D. S. Smith, R.E.; T./Capt. W. Somers, R. Ir. Rif.; Capt. J. C. Spence, M.B., R.A.M.C., Spec. Res.; T./Lt. R. H. Stacey, Midd'x. Yeo.; T./2nd Lt. A. H. Stainforth, R. Innis. Fus.; T./Lt. G. F. Sterling, North'd Fus.; 2nd Lt. (T./Capt.) D. F. Stevenson, Yeo. and R.F.C.; 2nd Lt. H. Stewart, R.F.A., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. (T./Lt.) F. le Strange Stone, Bra., Spec. Res.; T./Capt. W. A. Stuart, Gen. List and R.F.C.; T./2nd Lt. J. Tarrant, L'pool. R.; T./Capt. (A./Maj.) G. S. Taylor, R.E.; 2nd Lt. F. S. Thompson, R.E.; 2nd Lt. R. Thompson, North'd. Fus.; T./2nd Lt. T. W. O. H. Thorne, R.F.C.; 2nd Lt. A. Todd, R. Ir. Rif.; 2nd Lt. (T./Capt.) W. H. Tosdevine, S. Staff. R.; T./2nd Lt. R. M. Trevethan Gen. List and R.F.C.; 2nd Lt. A. Trotter, Bord., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. M. J. Tuffey, Seaf. Highrs., Spec. Res.; 2nd Lt. E. M. Tyler, R.F.A.; Lt. R. Ullman, R.F.A.; T./2nd Lt. C. Unsworth, Ballan. R.; T./2nd Lt. J. Vaughan, Manch. R.; Lt. (T./Capt.) C. T. Vivian, R. of O., R.F.A.; 2nd Lt. R. C. Wain, R.E.; T./2nd Lt. L. G. Wakely, R.G.A.; T./2nd Lt. J. Walsh, R. Ir. Fus.; 2nd Lt. A. Ward, R. War. R.; T./2nd Lt. T. J. Wenger, M.G. Corps; Lt. (A./Capt.) D. N. Whitaker, R. Lanc. R.; 2nd Lt. J. Whitaker, R.F.A., Spec. Res.; Capt. H. G. Whitmore, Shrop. L.I., Spec. Res.; T./Capt. H. F. Wickens, M.B., R.A.M.C.; T./2nd Lt. (T./Capt.) H. G. Wildbore, attd. Midd'x. R.; T./Capt. R. L. Williams, Gen. List and R.F.C.; 2nd Lt. O. J. Williams, Durh. L.I.; 2nd Lt. G. L. Wilson, London R.; Lt. F. G. Wilson, Suff. R., attd. M.G. Corps; 2nd Lt. (Capt.) W. G. Wilson, R. and L.R.; 2nd Lt. D. J. Winnicott, Notts. and Derby R.; 2nd Lt. W. R. Wood, Hamp. R. and R.F.C. 2nd Lt. (T./Lt.) H. M. Worsley, Yeo.; 2nd Lt. (A./Capt.) W. Wregg, R. Scots Fus.; T./2nd Lt. M. J. Wyatt, E. Kent R.; T./2nd Lt. J. B. M. Young, R. Berks. R.; 3/1188 C.S./M. W. Baker, R. War. R.; 3/4308 C.S./M. H. Bell, R. Ir. Rif.; 15/11697 C.S./M. J. H. Kelly, R. Ir. Rif.; 8/13115 C.S./M. W. Moffatt, R. Ir. Rif.; 36651 S.M. L. J. Richardson, R.G.A.; 3/1743 C.S./M. A. S. Sevens, R. Ir. Rif.; 151692 C.S./M. A. Swan, R.E.; 14897 S.M. J. Taylor, Hamp. L.I.; 240099 C.S./M. G. S. Ward, York. and L.R.; 10/16093 C.S./M. R. S. Whelan, R. Ir. Rif.

[A further instalment of the list will be published to-morrow.]

MENTIONED IN DESPATCHES.

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NOTICE OF AUDIT.
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors or to have any claims or demands against the estate of the said Moore Smith, who died on the 21st day of March, 1917, are required, on or before the 22nd day of October, 1917, to furnish in writing, particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for James J. Lynch, of Kells, County Meath, the surviving Executor named in the Will of the said Deceased, to whom Probate of said Will was on the 29th day of August, 1917, granted forth of the Principal Registry of the Probate Division of the High Court of Justice in Ireland.
And further take notice that after the 22nd day of October, 1917, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice as above required.
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ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

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The Irish Times.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1917.

The French Government.

M. Painlevé's statement of Ministerial policy at the opening session of the Chamber yesterday was awaited with unusual interest by the French people. Since the war began four successive Ministries have resigned without an adverse Parliamentary vote, in consequence of internal disruption and gradual loss of authority. On every occasion a new Ministry has been formed by the "reconstruction" of its predecessor, with a few omissions and additions. The conduct of French politics threatened to relapse into its accustomed backwaters of stagnation and intrigue at the moment when public opinion demanded the creation of a united, strong, and resolute Government. M. Painlevé's Ministry has offered no assured promise of stability in the circumstances of its formation. In the first place, the Socialists, who have participated hitherto in the successive Ministries, have refused to join it. They have not withdrawn their support, but the *union sacrée* is now for the first time impaired. In the next place, the formation of M. Painlevé's Ministry has been unfortunate in its coincidence with the unearthing of another "*affaire*." The excitement created by the *Bonnet Rouge* mystery has scarcely died away before the Turmel case has come into the open. M. Turmel is a Breton Deputy in whose cupboard in the Deputies' cloakroom an envelope without address was discovered, containing a thousand pounds in Swiss bank notes. In view of his somewhat dubious record in the war politics of France M. Turmel was pressed to explain the origin of this sum, but he has offered no adequate explanation. The Ministry of Justice has now ordered an official inquiry, based on a charge of trading with the enemy.

In a sense, however, the *affaire Turmel* is a not altogether unfitting prelude to M. Painlevé's statement of Ministerial policy. The new Premier is personally popular, and he is credited with the qualities of energy and sincerity. If his Ministry is capable of rising to the height of its opportunities, public opinion is not only willing, but eager, to lend it the fullest possible support. M. Painlevé's statement must in any case have been occupied largely with the German propaganda in France and the Government's intentions with regard to it. The *affaire Turmel* focussed attention on this aspect of Ministerial policy. Criticism of the action of the late Government against German propaganda condemned it as at once vexatious and ineffective. Working-class opinion, in particular, has become extremely restless in a search for the Government's methods of *espionage*. It found expression in the recent manifesto of the *Confédération Générale du Travail*, which denounced the policy of repression in vigorous, almost violent, terms. Resentment against it contributed largely to the refusal of the Socialists to join the new Ministry. On the other hand, unsavoury "*affaires*" grow more numerous, and there is no doubt that the enemy's propaganda is persistent and widespread. M. Painlevé, in his statement yesterday, admitted the fact explicitly. The nearer the war draws to its end, he said, the more will the moral resistance of the nation become the element indispensable to victory; and it is against this moral resistance that the enemy are redoubling their efforts. The Government, accordingly, "must redouble its vigilance against these insidious plans, and take energetic action against those who would lend themselves to them." M. Painlevé repudiated the use of vexatious measures, but made it absolutely clear that agents of the enemy need expect no mercy from him.

He is justified in regarding the vigour of the enemy's intrigues as an indirect compliment to the military strength of France. They are in inverse ratio to the Germans' military success; they are evidence that the enemy have abandoned hope of attaining their ends in the open field. Unconquerable by force, France is not to be dismayed by guile. "No enemy, no individual weakness," declared the Premier, "can turn France from her unshakable determination." He re-stated her war aims in admirable language. They are the recovery of Alsace-Lorraine, reparation for damage, and "a peace which shall not be a peace of constraint or violence, containing in itself the germs of future war, but a just peace, in which no people, whether strong or weak, shall be oppressed: a peace in which effective guarantees shall protect the society of nations against all aggression on the part of one among them." So long as these aims are not reached France will continue to fight, because, while to prolong the war one day more than is necessary would be to commit the greatest crime in history, "to stop it a day too soon would be to deliver France into the most degrading servitude." M. Painlevé does not conceal from the people the great difficulties in the way, or ignore the heavy losses of the glorious Army which since August, 1914, has been "the invincible shield of civilisation." He indicates, indeed, that greater co-ordination among the Allies will be necessary to allow France, without completely exhausting herself, to meet at once her economic and military needs. In the meanwhile he proposes more effectually to mobilise the nation behind the Army in "a vast effort of co-ordination and synthesis." The guns are thundering once more in Flanders and on the French front, and we may look for a great Allied effort to take advantage of what remains of the campaigning season.

Russia after the War.

All wars have their origin in the fight for trade. A thousand years before Christ a Trojan king levied toll on the Greek ships from the Black Sea, and that nuisance provoked the war which Homer glorified with the story of Helen. Nearly two thousand years after Christ Germany decided to carve a way for her trade with the sword, and provoked a war in which all the issues of human liberty are now at stake. When this war is ended the peaceful struggle for the world's trade will be resumed. No League of Nations will be able to mitigate its intense severity, for the belligerent countries, burdened with vast war debts, must produce, manufacture, and sell on a hugely increased scale if they are to survive. One of the few undeveloped countries in Europe is Russia, and, after the war—which will leave Russia a great and free, but impoverished, Republic—Britain and Germany will be in conflict for the development of Russian resources and the capture of Russian trade. Each will have an initial advantage over its rival. On the one hand, England will be Russia's friend. The kinship cemented by blood should open doors to her that will be banged in the face of the cruel and crafty nation whose armies are now on Russian soil. On the other hand, German trade was well established in Russia before the war, and, since business soon forgets sentiment, may be able to re-establish itself more quickly than we now believe. If Britain proposes to fight Germany in Russia on anything like equal terms after the war, she must develop new methods of attack. We print elsewhere the warnings of Mr. Sidney Coxon on this subject. Many men have given the same warnings before, but they cannot be repeated too often. German merchants "hold the field" in Russia, and we shall oust them only by practising their patience, vigilance, and adaptability, and by getting rid of our deeply-rooted distrust of the credit system.

The resources which British industry and commerce, if skilfully organised and boldly led, may tap in the new Russia are illimitable. We have before us a reprint of an article, entitled "Great Britain's Opportunity in Russia," by Mr. Leslie Urquhart, who has spent twenty years as a mining engineer in Russia. It was published in *Sperling's Journal*, which is circulated privately in the City of London. It deserves, however, to lie on the most conspicuous table of every Chamber of Commerce in the United Kingdom, for it is an illuminating analysis of Russian wealth and Russian needs. Mr. Urquhart says that after the war Russia must meet her enormous foreign debt by increasing the quantity and quality of her exports, by developing swiftly and systematically her immense internal resources, and by purchasing nothing abroad that can be produced at home. This policy will offer to British capital a unique financial, and to the British Government a unique political, opportunity. Russia's agriculture is primitive: its development depends on an abundant supply of mineral and chemical fertilisers—by-products of the mining and metallurgical industries. Russia has a vast wealth of timber, yet she has imported every year paper to the value of four million pounds. After the war her forests can be converted into a large source of public revenue. Her mineral resources are inexhaustible, and it is here that Mr. Urquhart sees the greatest opportunities for British capital and British brains. Mines cannot be worked without railways and transport; in the second year of the war Russia had about 50,000 miles of railways, of which only 6,744 miles were in Siberia. Mr. Urquhart foresees an early day when settlers will pour into Siberia, and Russia will have a vast output of coal, iron, gold, copper, and lead—for all of which minerals the world will be hungry after the war. The initiative in this development will be taken by Britain or by Germany or by the United States. If Britain takes it, she will do more than provide fruitful employment for her capital and a great field for her engineers and organisers of industry: by strengthening Russia she will be forging arms for her own defence. For fifty years British energy has found an outlet in the west. During the next fifty years it may be found in the east. Russia beckons, and a new prosperity is to be created—or rather an old prosperity re-created—in Mesopotamia. There are thousands of clever boys in Ireland to-day to whom the coming process of world-reconstruction offers unnumbered chances of profit and distinction. How many of them are learning Russian or Arabic?

The King's Tour.

The King's visit to the Clyde must not be reckoned as a merely spectacular event. Its effects will be better realised months hence than to-day. Scotsmen, like other Britons, wave handkerchiefs, doff hats, and shout greetings; but they are, perhaps, capable of deeper feeling afterwards than either Englishmen or Irishmen, whose high spirits are apt to be evanescent. There is an additional reason for Scottish appreciation of King George's visit, especially in the region of the Clyde. He derives two of his titles from the district: he is Duke of Rothesay and Baron Renfrew. The latter title descends from Stuart times, and is, therefore, eminently Scottish in its traditions. Apart from this "local" distinction, the King is a sailor, and will appreciate many things on the Clyde that would be hidden from a landsman's eye. His company will be thoroughly enjoyed by the masters of craft whose duty it may be to explain improvements in design and modern methods in turning out hulls, boilers, and engines. A king must of necessity be an "all-round man," but the great shipyards must make a special appeal to a king who is also a Lord High Admiral, and has been "through the mill" on a British ship. The influence of the visit must show itself in the smoothing of many minor difficulties. The King has spoken to individual men and women, and the latter can throw the weight in the scale when industrial unrest—sometimes over trifles—becomes possible. The average working-man in these islands does not think of the niceties of State administration—he looks to the "head" of it for recognition of wrongs and an equitable adjustment of them. Kings can be unofficial arbitrators in that higher Court of Equity. King George does not spare himself in fatigue; he is a tireless worker and a close observer. In these days a really democratic monarch is a very valuable asset to the Western Allies.

THE "IRISH TIMES" RED CROSS FUND.

HELP FOR OUR SOLDIERS.

FIRST LIST OF SUBSCRIPTIONS.

We announced last Saturday in a leading article that, in compliance with the request in the Earl of Donoughmore's letter (which we reprinted on Monday) to the Chairman of the *Irish Times* Company, Ltd., we have opened an *Irish Times* Red Cross Fund. It is established in aid of the "Our Day" collections which will be held in the City and County of Dublin on October 18th, and at or about the same time throughout the three southern provinces.

We invite our readers to help us to make the Fund a great success. It will remain open for several weeks, and contributions should be sent, in envelope marked "Red Cross Fund," to "The Editor, The *Irish Times*, 31 Westmoreland street, Dublin." All contributions, large and small, will be acknowledged in our columns at regular intervals. Sir John Arnott will act as Treasurer of the Fund, and, when it has been closed, will send a cheque for the total receipts to Sir Robert Hudson, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Joint Red Cross, in London.

In our leading article of last Saturday we wrote: "We know well that the time is not favourable for a financial appeals to the Irish public. Few of our readers have found their incomes increased by the war, and in many cases incomes have been sadly reduced. The cost of living is furnishing harassed householders throughout the country with new problems every day. This, however, is no ordinary appeal, and we believe that Irish patriotism will respond to it, even as, at the end of the hardest day's fighting, our Irish soldiers are always ready to make another attack."

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VICEREGAL LODGE.

TUESDAY.

The Solicitor-General, Mr. A. W. Samuels, M.P., K.C.; Colonel the Hon. George Keppel, and Col. Edgeworth-Johnstone had the honour of being invited to lunch with Their Excellencies to-day.

Their Excellencies gave a dinner party this evening at the Viceregal Lodge. The following had the honour of receiving invitations:—The Rt. Rev. John Irwin, Moderator of the General Assembly, and Mrs. Irwin; the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Meath, K.P., and the Countess of Meath; the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Desart, K.C.B., and the Countess of Desart; the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Dunraven, K.P.; the Rt. Hon. the Viscount Middleton, K.P., and the Viscountess Middleton; the Countess of Drogheda, the Lady Marian Hastings, the Hon. Mrs. Maitland, Sir Algernon Coote, Bart., and Lady Coote; Sir Francis Denys-Burton, Bart.; Lady Denys-Burton, and Miss Denys; Sir Nugent Everard, Bart., and Lady Everard; Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Guinness, Captain Gwynn, M.P., Mrs., and Miss Gwynn; Captain Doran, Chairman, Louth Co. Council, and Mrs. Doran; Mr. M. K. Barry, Chairman, Cork Co. Council, and Mrs. Barry; Mr. J. McDonnell, Chairman, Galway Co. Council, and Mrs. McDonnell; Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Knight, Miss Greenwood, Mr. Power, Private Secretary; Major Hood, Comptroller; Captain Sir George Prescott, Military Secretary, and Captain W. J. Baird, Aide-de-Camp-in-Waiting.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON, TUESDAY NIGHT.

Baron von Kühlmann must be a very busy man, indeed, for his mendacious statement about a British peace offer is followed by a regular crop of similar stories designed to provide a peace atmosphere for the unhappy German who, day by day, is fantalised by the shadow, and never gets the substance. Much of the talk centres around the German reply to the Pope's Peace Note, and, since that cannot be long concealed, we shall know how much truth there is in it before many days. The statement that Germany has decided to renounce all claim to supremacy in Belgium sounds interesting, but is hardly credible in the present circumstances. If it should happen to be true, then Germany is revealed to the world as beaten. It is, however, most improbable that she will give up her grasp on Antwerp while she has power to hold it, and for that reason alone we must assume that the story is just another peace kite.

Little is heard of Marshal von Hindenburg in these days, though he often sends telegrams that are duly reproduced in the German newspapers. It seems that his favourite idea of crushing the Russians does not meet with general approval among his contemporaries. A Rome paper, quoting a high German personage, states that Hindenburg has definitely abandoned all idea of any German offensive on the western front and believes that he has found the true road towards peace in Russia. The personage adds that, if Hindenburg should find himself deceived in this matter, the consequences are likely to be disastrous for Germany. In short, Hindenburg's offensive on the Russian northern front is Hindenburg's last card. I wonder if, by any chance, the personage is Prince von Bülow?

The Germans will soon have to acknowledge that the entry of the United States into the war has made an immense amount of difference to them. The decision of the American Export Administration Board, that neutrals must not benefit at the expense of the Allies, will strike at Germany just as much as at the neutrals. With nothing coming in from overseas, the neutral will have to conserve his resources most rigorously or his population will suffer. The embargo of the United States, however, can in no sense be regarded as a penalty for neutrality. It is simply a wise step to secure food for the Allies during the general shortage—a fact that the neutrals can recognise for themselves. It will impress them with the fact that all the advantages are not on the side of Germany, and that hitherto the Allies have been most patient and

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DUBLIN DESTROYED AREA.

CLAIM FOR INTEREST ON AWARDS.

DEPUTATIONS TO CHIEF SECRETARY.

Two deputations waited upon the Chief Secretary at Dublin Castle yesterday afternoon in respect of property destroyed in Dublin during the *Sinn Fein* rebellion last year. The first deputation was from the Dublin Firs and Property Losses Association, and consisted of Mr. W. M. Murphy (president), Sir Joseph Downes, Mr. Marcus Goodbody, Mr. Charles Eason, Mr. Martin Fitzgerald, Mr. George Tyson, and Mr. R. J. Kidney (secretary). The deputation was introduced by the Lord Mayor of Dublin, Mr. Murphy and other members of the deputation stated the views of the association. It was pointed out that the usual practice was that when the amount of loss sustained in the destruction of a building was ascertained an insurance company paid it over at once. The owner in such a case was able to invest the amount of the award at a rate of interest pending the settlement of any outstanding claims in respect of ownership interests and the rebuilding of the premises. The owner thus had the use of at least portion of the money until the work of restoration was almost completed. The practice adopted by the Government in reference to these claims is different. They had notified the claimant that a certain sum had been admitted, and that the amount would only be paid on the production of the architect's certificate as the rebuilding proceeded. The deputation recognised that the intention of the Government was that the money awarded should be spent on restoring the property, and the association fully approved of that object, but what they objected to was that they were deprived of interest on the money to which they had been declared entitled pending the long delay which has been caused by the scarcity of building materials, requirements of the Dublin Corporation, and other matters. It was urged that property-owners were entitled to interest on the awards from the date of the destruction of their property. The question of the inadequacy of certain of the building awards was also discussed, and the deputation urged that certain of these cases should be reconsidered.

The Chief Secretary, in the course of a sympathetic reply, pointed out that the money was not actually awaiting the claimants, but it would certainly be provided. He promised that on his return to London he would have an interview with the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and see what could be done in the matter.

DUBLIN RATEPAYERS' PETITION.

CLAIM FOR A TREASURY GRANT.

MR. DUKE'S ADMISSION.

A deputation also waited on the Chief Secretary representative of the Dublin Corporation, the Dublin Citizens' Association, and the principal ratepaying interests of the city, and presented a petition signed by leading ratepayers protesting against the injustice of having the extra burden of £16,000 per annum imposed in respect of the rates lost through the destruction of buildings during the disturbances of Easter, 1916, and to claim that this loss should be covered by a grant from the British Treasury. We submit that the loss of rates referred to is not in any sense "consequential," but a direct loss by reason of the destruction of the property the source from which the rates were derived. Further, that the loss sustained is not speculative, but a definite amount, calculated on the valuations at the date of the destruction of the destroyed properties. His Majesty's Government in reference to these claims is different in relation to the restoration of the buildings destroyed, having properly accepted responsibility in respect of the rates lost to our city as a direct result of such destruction. Should His Majesty's Government fail to meet the loss referred to, we submit it will fall upon the ratepayers of the city which, under the circumstances, in finance, should not be called upon to meet. The Corporation, the chief executive administrative body through whom rates are collected, but we are the persons who have to pay, and we feel strongly that we should not have to face the specific and definite loss referred to in respect of the destroyed property. We trust you will consider this, our case, favourably, and use your great powers to obtain from His Majesty's Government a grant in relief of the ratepayers of Dublin in the matter referred to.

The Lord Mayor having introduced the deputation,

Mr. Moran read and presented the petition, and mentioned that it was signed by the Dublin Chamber of Commerce, the Dublin Mercantile Association, the Merchant Drapers' Association, the Association for the Housing of the Very Poor, the Incorporated Law Society, the Tramways Company, the Dublin and Alliance Gas Company, and the Grand Canal Company, as well as by the professional and mercantile community.

Mr. Orr pointed out that there had been no definition of the word "consequential." The claim had been regarded as "consequential" by Sir William Goulding's Commission. He emphasised the point that the application of the word "consequential" in this case proved that it was not meant to apply to claims of an indefinite character, whereas in this particular claim could be specifically ascertained to the last farthing, since about £32,000 worth of the ratepaying property had been destroyed in the area in question, and the loss would have to be borne by the rest of the city until the property was restored and occupied.

Sir James Gallagher said he was present as a member of the Reconstruction Committee to support the claim put forward by the Citizens' Association, and he appealed to Mr. Duke not to allow the Treasury to be influenced by technical reasons for denying the claim since it had already met the property losses, and since great dissatisfaction existed among the citizens because the loss had to be borne by them.

Sir Patrick Shortall said that the citizens who had signed the document were very heavy ratepayers who would, perhaps, individually stand the loss, but the real burden would fall upon the humbler citizens, whose cost of living would be increased by the inclusion of a percentage of the losses in their purchases. The loss was not one for a year; it might be for several years.

Mr. Beattie stated that the loss would fall upon the entire body of citizens.

The Chief Secretary, in reply, said that he was well disposed towards the City of Dublin, and he hoped, so far as he could help, the promoters of the Reconstruction Bill to have this claim recognised. He realised that this was not a matter of £16,000 for a single year; that, indeed, it might run to £80,000 by covering a period of say five years. He was constrained to deny that the Government admitted, as had been urged by Mr. Orr, legal liability because of their having met the property losses by way of an *ex gratia* grant, but he thought he might venture to say that, to his view, there was a moral duty on the Government, and, without committing himself to any definite statement, he would make the proper representation to the Chancellor of the Exchequer.

AGRICULTURAL WAGES BOARD.

The first meeting of the Agricultural Wages Board for Ireland was held yesterday morning at the offices of the Board, 14 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. There were present:—

Mr. Charles H. O'Conor (Chairman), *Messrs.* E. M. Archdale, D.L., M.P.; R. A. Butler, J.P.; J. Clarke, J.P.; Sir Walter Nugent, Bart., M.P.; Messrs. T. B. Dennehy, D.L.; Cornelius Buckley, Cork; Patrick Bradley, James Crangle, Thomas Fagan, James Murphy, Timothy Raleigh, Miss E. Margaret Cunningham, M.A.; Right Hon. Lord Killanin, and Lady Russell. Mr. J. Nolan Fennell, who has been appointed Secretary to the Board, was also in attendance.

A letter was read by the Secretary from Mr. J. Kelly Grehan, regretting his inability to attend.

After a short address by the Chairman, the Board resolved to establish District Wages Committees, and a schedule of districts for the purpose was discussed and adopted.

The Board further decided that provisional rates for minimum wages, to remain in force till December 1st, should be fixed as soon as practicable, pending the establishment of the District Committees and the receipt of reports from them, and a schedule of areas for the purpose was discussed and adopted.

The next meeting of the Board was fixed for Friday, September 28th, at 11 o'clock.

All communications for the Board should be addressed to the Secretary, Agricultural Wages Board for Ireland, 14 St. Stephen's Green, S., Dublin.

A GIFT TO WINDSOR.

When the King and Queen visited the Windsor Guildhall they noticed there was no portrait of Queen Alexandra there. Queen Mary is therefore, presenting to the inhabitants of the Royal Borough a copy of Queen Alexandra's State portrait.

FROM "THE TIMES" OF TO-DAY.

(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

RUSSIA AND GERMAN WAR AIMS.

The one desire, says *The Times*, which all the true friends of Russia feel on her behalf, is that she should quickly succeed in establishing a strong Government. There is no use in hymning the praises of liberty in the most sonorous of speeches and proclamations, while the streets remain at the mercy of irresponsible delegates, and a foreign enemy is advancing into the land. At such times liberty must be saved by deeds, if she is to be saved at all. Mr. Wilson pointed out these facts to Russia in very outspoken words some months ago. We shall be glad, indeed, to see in M. Kerensky's action a sign that his policy will be based firmly upon them. The form of Government which he has set up is, indeed, the very reverse of democratic. All power is placed in the hands of a Directory of five, which, in practice, is controlled by the Prime Minister. We do not augur the worse for the future of Russian democracy. Democracy is a plant of slow growth at all times, and among all peoples. If it is to be healthy, and to endure, the growth must be more than usually slow in a population which has lived for centuries under a despotic rule. But, meanwhile, the country must be defended and governed. The proclamation of the Republic is welcome, if it serves in any way to strengthen the Government, or to concentrate the national mind on the expulsion of the enemy from Russian soil. That is the first necessary step which it remains for Russia to take on the path of freedom. Until it has been taken, the future of democracy, and of all that the Revolution has won, will be still insecure. The latest developments of the German peace campaign make the step more necessary than ever. The German Press is now filled with rumours, and with contradictions of these rumours, that the Government are prepared to make great "concessions" in Belgium. They are the black smoke which German diplomacy emits to conceal its real movements when it meditates some felon blow. It is, however, worth repeating, for the benefit of those who always show a disposition to hail her latest "peace talk" with unsubdued enthusiasm, that Germany might quite well evacuate Belgium, and nevertheless emerge from the war as a great and menacing "militarist" Power. It is more than probable that she would be quite willing to barter "concessions" in the West against fresh prospects of expansion to the East and South, which the weakness of Russia, if it is prolonged, would make possible to her. A bargain of that kind would still leave her a standing menace to the peace of the world. All the nations who have sworn to free the earth from that menace must see that no scheme of the sort is entertained for a moment. But, while to defeat such plans is the clear duty and interest of them all, for none should that interest and that duty be clearer than for revolutionary Russia.

THE WAR BY AIR.

Commenting on the present phase of aerial warfare, *The Times* says—In one respect the Germans have attained great skill. Some of their anti-aircraft gunners have, by long practice, become extremely accurate. Yet if the public knew how often our squadrons come under prolonged and heavy German fire, and return, after accomplishing their objects, without a single loss, they would, perhaps, be less critical of our air defences in this country. As to the constant bombing of German aerodromes in Belgium, it is hard to estimate the precise damage inflicted, but there is not the slightest doubt that many of our raids result in very considerable destruction of enemy material. It is reasonable to assume that the raids greatly hamper the operations directed against England. If our airmen were not constantly attacking the aerodromes in Belgium, we should probably be subjected to much more frequent visitations in the Eastern counties. No doubt, air warfare is still in an intermediate phase. The time may come when the duties which now occupy most of the time of the Air Services will be regarded as subsidiary, and when the offensive possibilities of the new arm will be developed on an infinitely larger scale. Such changes, should they ever come, cannot be rapid. Most people do not realise that aeroplane construction is now an exceedingly delicate, complex, and difficult business. It is far easier to talk theoretically of attaining victory through the air than to provide the multitude of machines, and of men to pilot them, which a great expansion of air warfare would require.

THE BETRAYAL OF SERBIA.

The Collection of *Diplomatika Engrapha*, 1913-1917, laid before the Greek Chamber on August 18 last, in the form of a White Book, says *The Times*, has now reached this country. The assertion of Serbia by the then rulers of Greece, and the connivance of the Government of King Constantine in the Bulgarian invasion of Greek territory, appear even more clearly from the full text of the documents than from the telegraphed summaries, and the book deserves careful examination. It makes clear many points which have for long been a maze of controversial misrepresentations. More damning, says *The Times*, than any other action of Greece with regard to the Greco-Serbian Treaty is the fact that Greece gave no preliminary warning to Serbia of her intention of ignoring the treaty. No anti-Venezelist politician or newspaper, in fact, ventured to state such an intention publicly till the middle of August, 1915. But the White Book shows us that Germanophile politicians in Greece had long ago made up their minds on the point.

GERMAN SOCIALIST DECAY.

The report, says *The Times*, of the Committee of the German Socialist Party, now commonly described as the Socialist Majority, which has been prepared for the party congress at Wurzburg, covers the period from April 1st, 1914, to March 31st, 1917. For the first time, it illuminates the extraordinary decay, during the war, in the fortunes of the party, the strength of which has been immensely over-estimated in Germany, and still more abroad. The *Vorwaerts* observes that the period from 1914 to 1917 has been the gravest in the history of the party. The outstanding fact is that the Socialist Party has dwindled to less than one-fourth of its size before the war, while the Socialist Minority is growing rapidly, and the outlook is extremely bad. The total membership, including women, was, six months ago, already well below a quarter of a million, and the total male membership can now, on a liberal estimate, hardly exceed 150,000. The financial position is just as bad.

JAPANESE WAR INSURANCE REVISION.

We understand, says *The Times*, that the inauguration of the Japanese Government's revised war insurance scheme has been postponed until to-morrow. Information now received from Japan shows that a low rate of premium is still to be accepted for goods shipped to and from Japan. The new rate from London and Liverpool is to be £2 6s. *per cent.*, as compared with £2 2s. at present quoted. On the other hand, the rate for the far shorter voyage to the Cape becomes £3 14s. *per cent.*, while for the voyage to Colombo and the Straits the new premium is £4 10s., and to China £4 12s. *per cent.*, as compared with £2 2s. now quoted. Although it is understood that, as under the present system, owners of cargo to and from Japan in both Japanese and British bottoms may take advantage of the new scheme, cargo to British ports will only be insured under the scheme if shipped in Japanese vessels.

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

Business says *The Times*, was again on a limited scale yesterday, but the tone was generally firm. Argentine Railway Stocks, after being weak, rallied slightly towards the close. Rubber Shares were fairly active and firm, and Ural Caspian Shares showed strength in the Oil market. Santa Gertrudis was prominently firm in the Mining departments, owing to the further advance in silver.

Enniscorthy Guardians Resume Attendances.—

At a special meeting of the Enniscorthy Guardians, from which the Press was excluded, it was decided by an overwhelming majority to resume attendance at the customary meeting of the Board. The abstention of the Guardians, which had lasted five weeks, was entered upon as a protest against the writ of *mandamus* issued at the instance of the Local Government Board compelling the enforcement of the provisions of the Vaccination Act within the union area.

BRITISH GAIN AT ST. JULIEN.

SUCCESSFUL RAIDS.

ARTILLERY ACTIVITY IN YPRES REGION.

Sir Douglas Haig announces an improvement of our position east of St. Julien. Another raid in the region of Inverness Copse resulted in the capture of thirteen prisoners.

There was great artillery activity on both sides in the Ypres sector.

The French troops undertook raids at various points with success. An enemy attempt against the front at Ailles was repulsed. There was a somewhat violent artillery duel in the region of Hill 344.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FRANCE, TUESDAY, 9.46 A.M.

Beyond patrol encounters in the Ypres sector, in which we secured a few prisoners, there is nothing of special interest to report.

9.17 P.M.

North-country troops raided the German positions in Inverness Copse this morning, and secured 13 prisoners, in spite of a vigorous resistance on the part of the enemy.

We have improved our positions slightly east of St. Julien.

Early this morning a hostile raiding party, which attempted to approach our lines south of Mericourt, was driven off with loss by our machine gun fire.

Hostile artillery has shown activity during the day in the neighbourhood of Lagnicourt, Vimy, and Nieuport.

There has again been great artillery activity on both sides in the Ypres sector.

In spite of low clouds and very strong west wind a considerable amount of artillery work was carried out by us yesterday with aeroplane observation. Three hostile machines were driven down out of control in air fighting, but combats were few owing to the small number of German machines in the air. Three of our aeroplanes are missing.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.

Tuesday Afternoon.—In the course of the night we stopped two enemy attempts on our small posts, one to the south-east of St. Quentin and the other in the region of Borettes. On our part we made successful surprise attacks near Haucourt and La Foyere Farm.

To the south of La Miette, following a bombardment, some enemy detachments reached our line. A lively combat took place in our advance elements, from which the enemy was entirely driven out after sustaining appreciable losses. We took some prisoners.

On the right bank of the Meuse there was great activity by the artillery on both sides in the region of Fosses Wood.

Tuesday Night.—On the Aisne front we repulsed an enemy *coup de main* against our trenches to the south of Ailles. There were fairly lively artillery actions in Champagne, in the region of the heights, and in the Auberive sector. On the right bank of the Meuse the artillery duel was somewhat violent to the north of Hill 344.

Aviation.—Yesterday five German aeroplanes were brought down in air fighting or by the fire of our machine guns.

GERMAN OFFICIAL.

Tuesday.—Army Group of the Crown Prince.—On both sides of the Laon-Soissons road, and on the right bank of the Meuse, the artilleries at times reached considerable intensity. At several points forcful engagements developed and resulted favourably for us.

Army Group of Duke Albrecht.—West of Apremont our storming troops made a surprise attack against the French positions and brought back a number of prisoners.

Tuesday Evening.—In Flanders there were strong artillery duels to the east and south-east of Ypres. Before Verdun there was increased fighting activity in the afternoon to the east of the Meuse.

THE EASTERN FRONTS.

Russian Official—Monday.—On the Western front, in the direction of Riga, fighting between advanced posts still continues.

Our advance detachments are offering resistance everywhere, and at certain points are making progress. We occupied the cemetery south-west of Hapsal, on the northern bank of the river, as well as the farm of Sadzen, south of Granard, and Gut Sissegal, south of Sissegen. Part of Lina one of our parties made a successful raid on enemy trenches west of the village of Sabilki.

Tuesday.—There is no change in the Riga area. In the region to the north-east of Friedrichstadt, our detachments, after an engagement, occupied the wood to the south of the village of Bideg.

Rumanian Front.—In the valley of the River Sushitza the Rumanians yesterday attacked and occupied a sector of the enemy's occupied positions in the region of Vernitza.

German Official.—In the bend around Lutsk, on the lower course of the Zbrucz, and in the mountains east of the Kezdi-Vasarhely basin, the enemy was quieter than in recent times.

Army Group of General Field-Marshal von Mackensen—West of the Sereth the Rumanians, after copious artillery preparation, made severe local attacks near Varnita and Muncelul, which failed with heavy losses.

At the confluence of the Rimnica prisoners were captured as a result of an enterprise by our troops.

THE ITALIAN FRONT.

Italian Official.—In the south-eastern area of the St. Bainsizza Plateau enemy counter-attacks were repulsed. On the Carso there were brisk artillery duels and frequent harassing fire.

Austrian Official.—September 16—South of Selo, on the Isonzo, Italian advances were frustrated. In the southern part of the Bainsizza-Heiligen Geist Highland the enemy once more repeated his attacks to break through our positions. Our troops during desperate close encounters maintained the upper hand, the Italians being driven back.

MACEDONIAN FRONT.

French Official.—There was artillery activity in the Vardar Valley and in the Cerna bend.

IRISH CONVENTION.

The following official report of the Irish Convention was issued last evening:—

The seventeenth meeting of the Irish Convention was held on Tuesday, September 18th, in the Regent House, Trinity College, Dublin. The Chairman, Sir Horace Plunkett, took the chair at 11 o'clock.

The following members were present:—Aberdeen, Duke; Anderson, R. W.; Andrews, E. H.; Armagh, Archbishop of; Armstrong, H. B.; Barrie, H. T.; Barry, M. K.; Belfast, Lord Mayor of; Blake, Sir Henry; Bolger, J.; Broderick, W.; Byrne, J.; Clancy, J. J.; Clark, Sir George; Clark, Col. J. J.; Coen, J. J.; Condren, D.; Cork, Lord Mayor of; Crawford, Col. Sharman; Dempsey, Councillor; Desart, Earl of; Devlin, J.; Dooly, J.; Doran, Capt.; Down and Connor, Bishop of; Dublin, Archbishop of; Dublin, Lord Mayor of; Duggan, T.; Dunraven, Earl of; Fallon, T.; Fitzgibbon, J.; Flanagan, J.; Garahan, H.; Goulding, Sir Wm.; Governey, M.; Granard, Earl of; Gubbins, Wm.; Gwynn, Capt.; Halligan, T.; Hanna, J.; Harbison, T. J.; Jameson, A.; Kavanagh, W.; Kett, J. K.; Knight, M. E.; Londonderry, Marquis of; Lundon, T.; Lysaght, E. E.; McCance, J. S. F.; McCarron, ——; McCullagh, Sir C.; McDowell, Sir A.; McDonnell, J.; MacDonnell, Lord; McGarry, J.; MacGeagh, H. Grattan; McHugh, J.; McKay, C.; McMeekan, J.; MacMullen, A. R.; Mayo, Earl of; Midleton, Viscount; Minch, M. J.; Moderator, General Assembly; Murphy, J.; Murphy, W. M.; O'Dowd, J.; O'Neill, C. P.; O'Neill, P. J.; Oranmore and Browne, Lord; O'Sullivan, Dr.; Pollock, H. M.; Powell, J. B.; Power, T.; Provost of Trinity College; Quin, Stephen; Redmond, J. E.; Raphoe, Bishop of; Reilly, D.; Ross, Bishop of; Russell, George; Slattery, M.; Stewart, S. F.; Toal, T.; Waugh, R.; Whitla, Sir W.; Whitley, H. T.; Windle, Sir B.

Sir Francis Hopwood, Secretary, was also present.

The discussion on proposals for the future government of Ireland was continued. Further schemes, in addition to those previously under discussion, were introduced, and considered, and the debate was adjourned until Wednesday, September, 19th, at 10.30 a.m.

Two local firms were ordered to pay heavy fines at the Sheffield Munitions Tribunal yesterday for non-compliance with awards respecting advances of wages. The National Amalgamation Union of Labour brought a complaint against Charles Bramall, of the Silica Brick Manufacturing Co., of Oughtibridge, who was fine £100 for not complying with an award of the Committee on Production, giving 5s. advance to twenty workmen. The Sheffield Workers' Union complained against the British Abrasive Wheel Co., of Tinsley, for non-payment of an advance of 5s. a week, and a fine of £50 was imposed.

The Exchequer returns from 1st April to 15th September, 1917, show:—Receipts, £229,932,358; expenditure, £1,214,447,166. In the corresponding period last year the receipts were:—£145,863,948; expenditure, £818,856,615.

PEACE OUTLOOK.

GERMANY AND CONTROL OF BELGIUM.

REPORTED CHANGE OF ATTITUDE.

A Reuter's Amsterdam telegram of Monday says:—

In connection with the report appearing in the *Tageszeitung* that the German Government had abandoned its claim to the supremacy and control over the territory and population of Belgium, the *Koelnische Volkszeitung* says:—We too have received similar information, from which it may be concluded that last week's decision about Belgium was arrived at conformably to English views.

NO DECISION IN REGARD TO BELGIUM.

The Berlin correspondent of the *Koelnische Volkszeitung* (says an Amsterdam telegram, dated Tuesday), states that it is announced from an authoritative source that the German Government has not yet come to a decision regarding Belgium. The correspondent has also been informed that Belgium is not even mentioned in the German reply to the Pope's Peace Note.

Regarding the Belgian question and the German reply to the Papal Note, the *Vorwaerts* writes:—Neither Dr. Michaelis nor Baron von Kuehlmann has yet made any public statement on the Belgian question, and through the indiscretion of some newspapers it has been already disclosed that in reply to the Pope's Note Belgium will not be specially mentioned. According, however, to all other information, this reply will be framed in the sense of the Reichstag resolution of July 19. That is no secret, for the Imperial Chancellor at the sitting of the Main Committee declared that the reply to the Pope would be made in this sense. From that it follows that the reply cannot possibly be of an unfavourable character. The Papal Note, however, speaks expressly of the restoration of Belgium as a necessary basis of peace. To agree with it means, therefore, to declare our readiness in principle to restore Belgium.

HERR RICHTHOFEN'S VIEW.

Herr Richthofen, member of the German Reichstag, in an interview published in a Budapest newspaper, said:—Germany's answer to the Pope's Note will not differ in tenor from the resolution adopted by the Reichstag majority. Nobody thinks that peace will lead to complete restoration of the old conditions in Europe.

It is to be expected that all the States of Europe will organise an independent England, and Bulgaria's aims must also be realised.

Herr Richthofen remarked that too much importance must not be attached to the peace negotiations of unofficial persons in neutral countries. The Pope's Note, he added, in any case, will lead to a continuance of the exchange of ideas. Herr Richthofen also expressed the opinion that peace would be concluded this year.

AUSTRIA AS MEDIATOR.

Count Karolyi, addressing his constituents, spoke in favour of peace by agreement. He said that he thought the Austro-Hungarian Monarchy would be called upon to assume the rôle of mediator. He announced his intention to participate in the meeting of the International Peace Union at Berne on October 15th.

GENERAL SMUTS AND THE WAR.

GERMANY'S POSITION.

The *Journal* (Paris) publishes an interview with General Smuts, in which the latter, referring to Germany's present position, says she has little or no improvement to hope for. Can one doubt, on the other hand, the growing feelings of terror which possess her as she sees the nations range themselves side by side against her, the financial markets closed to her, the food problem becoming each day more and more acute, her economic future hopelessly compromised, and her name more and more defiled. In short, is she faced with the prospect of being strangled to death unless the *Entente* Powers again open the doors of the world to her. What does the future offer her, even on the impossible hypothesis of a reversal of the military situation? She is aware that Germany longs for more ardently than peace. All her people feel their position is desperate, but, added General Smuts, before thinking of peace we must be certain of having finished with militarism, imperialism, and accepting any peace. Those who are charged with the destinies of nations should give serious reflection to the terms, for on the peace that we sign will depend for generations the whole future of the world. General Smuts concluded:—The stake is the greatest that the human race has ever played for. Patience and confidence are all that we now need in order to be certain of winning it.

MILITARY SITUATION.

Speaking on the military situation, General Smuts said:—

"What you call semi-immobility of to-day is the result of our mistake of yesterday—a fundamental mistake, which consisted of believing one thing only was of importance—effectives. We thought that we could do without machinery. If we have discovered it a bit late no harm is now repairing, and the superiority is ours. This is why we may have been slow in starting to go forward. Why we do not progress with as much speed as some would like is because this set of the machinery of the combat favours the assailants and the defenders helps very much the defenders, and renders a quick victory impossible. Instructed by experience, we have adopted in France tactics which may not be very showy, but the results of which are, so to speak, mathematically certain.

"It consists in progressing by advances, strictly limited on ground readered impossible to hold by the superiority of our artillery. They cost a comparatively small price to us, and to the enemy the maximum of losses. This offensive is slow by definition, but it is sure, and we are pursuing it, and will pursue it, without rest. If the public understand these methods and their success, there will be no question as to who is winning, and that the nations at the rear must only arm themselves with patience.

"The military situation, then, is satisfactory. At the beginning of the war we might have estimated that victory would be composed of 100 per cent. of military success, but three years of war have modified this proportion, and other elements are entering in line. When we consider those elements the issue is no more in doubt. To-day we have won, and the Germans know it quite well.

"Yesterday their directing classes understood it. To-morrow there will not be in the German Empire a single man who will not understand it also. The final result of the persistent pressure of our Army is well anticipated over there in spite of the re-assuring *communiqués*."

THE STRIKE IN THE ARGENTINE.

A Reuter's Buenos Ayres telegram of Monday says:—

A fresh partial strike has broken out on the Central Argentine Railway, and employes of the Southern Railway have also proclaimed a strike. The managers of all the railways are meeting to-morrow to consider the question of a general suspension of traffic in view of the possibility of acts of sabotage.

COSTA RICA AND GERMANY.

A New York Reuter's telegram of yesterday says:—

A despatch from San Jose, Costa Rica, says diplomatic relations between the Republic of Costa Rica and Germany may be considered as severed. President Tinoco has discovered that the German residents joined the followers of the former President, Alfredo Gonzales, in conspiring against the Government. Three prominent Germans have been arrested, and orders have been given for all the Germans in Costa Rica to be interned. The President has summoned Congress to a special session in order to discuss the situation.

MILITARY AWARDS.

A list of awards for services in the field and a list of "mentions" for work in connection with the Army Medical Services will be found on Page 3.

THE EARL OF MEATH.

The Earl of Meath, on account of advancing years and the multiplicity of other engagements, has resigned the Presidency of the Church Army, and Mr. Pike Pease, M.P., Assistant Postmaster-General, has been unanimously elected President in his place.

LORD DUNCANNON AND TARIFF REFORM LEAGUE.

Lord Duncannon, in response to inquiries made at the headquarters of the National party regarding his resignation of the Chairmanship of the Tariff Reform League, has issued a statement that the announcement of his intention to resign was quite irrespective of the resolutions referring to the National party discussed at last Saturday's conference. The main reason which led him to it was, as he had already said, that the Tariff Reform League is associated in men's minds with the old party system, from which he desired to free himself. As a National reformer he does not cavil at the decisions reached at Saturday's conference.

RUSSIAN CRISIS.

INTERNAL SITUATION.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT.

REORGANISING THE ARMY.

An official statement issued by the Russian Embassy in London says that from the moment when General Korniloff was appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Russian Armies he was negotiating with the Provisional Government concerning the necessary steps for re-establishing the fighting strength of the Army, and the greater part of his proposed measures was accepted by the Government.

General Korniloff's action will be elucidated before a tribunal.

M. Kerensky is taking all measures to prevent General Korniloff's rebellion and the ensuing disorders from interfering with the re-establishment of the fighting powers of the Army.

Reuter's Agency is authorised by the Russian Embassy to make the following statement in regard to the present internal situation in Russia:—

From the moment that General Korniloff was appointed Commander-in-Chief, he entered into negotiations with the Provisional Government concerning the necessary steps to be taken in order to re-establish the fighting strength of the Army. The greater part of the measures proposed by General Korniloff was accepted by the Government. Among the measures under discussion were the following:—The immediate re-establishment of capital punishment in the rear, the enlarging of the theatre of military operations, and the introduction of military measures in the City of Petrograd. In accordance with the agreement arrived at a few days before between M. Savinkoff, Acting Minister of War, and General Korniloff, on August 26th the Provisional Government took the final decision on these questions. This decision, however, was not carried into effect, owing to the unexpected reception by the Provisional Government of General Korniloff's demand, that the powers of dictatorship should be conferred upon him. The circumstances which led to the action taken by General Korniloff will be elucidated before a tribunal. General Korniloff's enterprise, as is now generally known, met with total failure.

At the present moment M. Kerensky, Commander-in-Chief and Premier, is taking all the necessary measures in order to prevent General Korniloff's rebellion and the ensuing disorders from interfering with the re-establishment of the fighting power of the Army. With this object, several appointments to high military posts have been made, the most important being the appointment of General Verhnovsky as Minister of War, and General Alexeieff as Chief of Staff of the Commander-in-Chief. General Alexeieff, who has the entire authoritative of all Russian Generals, has been entrusted with the immediate direction of military operations and the reorganisation of the Army. M. Kerensky, meanwhile, has issued a series of orders and instructions, forbidding, under penalty of the most drastic punishment, all unauthorised action on the part of the Army Committees, organisations, or soldiers, directed against officers and commanders who might be suspected of having participated in General Korniloff's conspiracy. There is every reason to believe that by these measures all the minor disorders which arose in different parts of the Army, owing to unwarrantable interference by organisations of soldiers, with the orders given by the commandant, will cease. Happily, the prompt collapse of General Korniloff's action prevented the development of unrest among the soldiers, and all separate cases of insubordination have been promptly dealt with. In all events, no irregularities which have arisen through the events of the last few days will prevent the Government from pursuing all necessary measures towards re-establishing the fighting capacity of the Army. The necessity of all these measures was demonstrated before the rising of General Korniloff.

A Petrograd telegram, dated Tuesday, states that M. Kerensky, accompanied by General Verhnovsky, Minister of War, and Admiral Verderevsky, Minister of Marine, left Petrograd on Monday night for the Main Headquarters.

GENERAL KORNILOFF.

Telegrams from Mohiliff, says a Petrograd message, dated Monday, state that General Korniloff, with twelve other generals and other officers, was arrested by General Alexieff's Staff, and is confined in a hotel which is closely guarded. The examination of General Korniloff will end to-day. He is writing all his statements himself. The Russian garrison still retained the Government Commissioner that it took no part in the rebellion, and has asked to be sent to the front.

A Petrograd telegram of Tuesday's date says: A body describing itself as the Military Club of the Don Cossacks has telegraphed to the Government protesting against a charge which accused the Hetman of being an instigator in a counter-revolutionary movement. The *Bourse Gazette*, however, states that it is reported that orders for the arrest of General Kaledin have been issued by the Government.

THE DEMOCRATIC ASSEMBLY.

The Democratic Assembly which the Council of Soldiers' and Workmen's Delegates has decided to convene on September 25, in Petrograd, to consider the political situation resulting from the Korniloff movement and the political crisis, says a Petrograd telegram, dated Tuesday, will be attended by not less than 1,000 persons.

KLEMBOVSKY EXONERATED.

The Extraordinary Commission of Inquiry now sitting at Pskov, says a Petrograd telegram, exonerates General Klembovsky from any active participation in the Korniloff movement, as the evidence brought forward does not prove his complicity.

BRITISH TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

A GREAT OPPORTUNITY.

Reuter's representative has had an interview with Mr. Sidney Coxon, an Englishman, who has just concluded a six thousand miles journey through European Russia from the Arctic to the Black Sea for the purpose of investigating the possibilities of openings for British trade. His mission, which commenced in May, was undertaken on behalf of a group of firms in the manufacturing districts of England. Although he found the conditions of travel almost impossible, he succeeded in getting into touch with the leading export and import houses, and in appointing in all the large towns agents and correspondents in first-class houses. Everywhere he experienced great cordiality, and found there existed a strong desire to enter into fuller trade relations with England to the exclusion of German firms. Wherever he travelled he established beyond doubt the fact that German merchants hold the field in nearly every article of commerce, and that the British manufacturers, except in the case of heavy machinery, had no footing in the country. The present shortage in Russia, he says, is largely the result of the inevitable stoppage of German trade during the war. This shortage is at present only made good by British trading in a very limited degree.

Mr. Coxon says that there is every evidence that German competition after the war will be as keen as ever, and, if we are to avail ourselves of the great opportunity we have, we must begin now by preparing the way on the lines adopted by the Germans. In his report he makes a number of recommendations as to the necessity for British agents being able to speak Russian. The use of Russian in business, catalogues and price lists, and more attractive get up of goods, and other details, to which the Germans have paid great attention. As to the quality of British goods, this he found generally admitted to be all that could be desired, but he says that British firms need more adaptability and consideration for Russian habits and requirements if British products are not again to be ousted by often inferior German goods. Constant complaints are made of defective packing and want of attention to the whims and requirements of retailers, all matters to which Germans pay considerable attention.

One thing, too, he said, that our people do not realise as do the Germans is the fact that Russia is an agricultural country, and, being dependent on the crops, must to a large extent have the benefit of the credit system. This will have a most important bearing on Anglo-Russian commerce. British houses have been shy of this because they have often suffered by appointing agents recommended by German firms, who, no doubt, sometimes gave references with the sole idea of prejudicing British efforts. In future firms at home must appoint their own people after they have been to the country and know with whom they are dealing. The British must cope the Germans by giving credit. There is a huge trade to be done, and it will be a pity if our share of it is lost by the credit bogey. One of the most successful methods adopted by Germans is that of securing the assistance of the local banks in German manufacturing towns in financing German manufacturers. The banks, in turn, discounting bills or reimbursing themselves through the medium of larger banking establishments in Germany. These latter often discounted their bills on the London market, thereby really procuring English capital for the development of their own trade in Russia.

FRENCH WAR AIMS.

THE MINISTERIAL STATEMENT.

NATIONAL DEFENCE AN ENTITY.

WHEN FRANCE WILL CEASE FIGHTING.

POSITION OF THE ALLIES.

FAR-REACHING RESULTS.

A Paris telegram, dated Tuesday, says:—

The following is the text of the Ministerial statement delivered in the Chamber to-day by the Premier, M. Painlevé:—It is not the time for long speeches or long programmes. To gather together all the material and moral forces of the nation for the supreme phase of the war—such is the duty to which the Government must, and will, give all its attention. The longer the war is drawn out, the more will it longer the war is drawn out, the more will it take energetic action against those who would lend themselves to them. In the legal proceedings already begun, as in the case of those to follow, justice will follow its course, without hesitation and without weakness, and without any personal considerations whatever. Whoever makes himself the accomplice of the enemy must suffer the full

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DUBLIN CABS AND CAB-DRIVERS.

PROPOSED NEW BY-LAWS.

TAXI-CABS TO BE LICENSED AS HACKNEY CARRIAGES.

The complaint of the deputation from the Car-owners' Association that waited on the Dublin City Council on Monday as to the proposal of the Chief Commissioner of the Dublin Metropolitan Police to increase, "unasked by them," the fares of the Dublin car-drivers, has set many people on inquiry as to the real nature of that complaint. The members of the deputation who spoke to the City Council said that, if the proposals of the Chief Commissioner were put into operation, those who would benefit thereby would be the owners of taxi-cabs. That's the rub. The Dublin cab-owners and drivers are well aware that they are behind the time in resisting the free traffic of the taxi-cab on the streets of the Irish capital. Mr. Moran and Mr. Beattie, from their places in the Council, gave the cab-owners and drivers advice which they would do well to act on as soon as they can, for it is quite certain that the motor taxi-cab cannot much longer be hindered from coming into general use as the hackney vehicle of the public who wish to use it.

Apart altogether from the question of the freer use of the taxi-cab, and its competition with the horse vehicle as a means of conveyance for the citizens, the regulations with regard to fares and fares have long been demanding revision and readjustment. Complaints have reached the Carriage Department from persons who have had to employ cabs in Dublin. These complaints are, in the main, concerned with excessive charges by drivers. The Chief Commissioner has caused a set of new regulations to be drawn up, which are merely provisional, and which he has already submitted to the cab-owners and drivers and owners of taxi-cabs, that he may learn their views on them. Before the new regulations in their final form become law they will have to be sanctioned by the Right Hon. the Recorder, before whom all persons concerned may appear and make objection. The chief features of the proposed regulations are:—The abolition of the sixpenny fare, and the substitution therefor of a shilling fare as the *minimum* for a "set down," as it is called. If called on to stop in the course of a set down, the driver must inform the hirer that if he does stop an additional charge of sixpence will be made for every stop; otherwise the demand of such extra fare will be illegal. In hiring by time, if it does not exceed twenty minutes, the fare shall be one shilling; over twenty minutes, but not exceeding one hour, two shillings; and for every half-hour commenced after the first hour a fare of ninepence. These fares will be applicable within or without the prescribed boundary, and it is hoped by the Chief Commissioner that this last-named regulation as to boundary will have the effect of avoiding controversial wrangles between the hirer and the driver, which in the past and up to the present have been too frequent. In hiring by distance, if it does not exceed a mile the fare shall be one shilling, and for every half-mile commenced after the first mile a fare of threepence. Drivers will be bound to bring back the hirer for a fare of threepence for each mile commenced on the return journey. Four passengers are to be carried for the scheduled fares, and sixpence may be charged for bicycles and perambulators. The new book of rules and fares, which each driver is bound to have, and to produce when asked, will be rendered more easily understood by the hirer than the old one. An officer of the Carriage Department gave it as his opinion that the new regulations were all to the advantage of the carmen.

With regard to the rates and fares to be applied to motor taxi-cabs, for a distance not exceeding one statute mile, or for time (if delayed on the journey) not exceeding 15 minutes, the rate is 1s. If the distance exceed one Statute mile, or fifteen minutes in time—for each quarter of a mile, or time not exceeding three and three-quarters minutes, threepence shall be paid; and for any less distance or time threepence. No charge is to be made when the car returns empty. A driver, if required, will be bound to proceed from the stand to the residence of the hirer for two miles, free; but if he be sent away without being employed he will be entitled to be paid 2s.

One of the grievances of the cab-drivers is the proposed abolition, as they allege, of the main stand rule. The police say that that rule was more honoured in the breach than in the observance. The main stand will remain as heretofore. It will be chiefly used for inspection purposes, but it will remain a hazard from which the carman can ply for hire if he so desires. The point which the carmen make on this score is that when the taxis come on the streets they, too, may join the rank at the first hazard they meet on which there is a vacancy. The passenger in the taxi-car never need ask the driver what the fare is, for both the fare and the distance travelled will be indicated on a dial in front of him.

With regard to the restrictions on petrol, it may be useful to remind the public that no motor car can, while the war lasts, be used for purposes of pleasure. For instance, the private owner of a motor car could not, under present regulations, use it for taking himself and his family to the theatre or to a race-course, or any other excursion, outside commercial work. Only those motor vehicles that are licensed as hackney carriages are allowed to use petrol for pleasure purposes. Therefore, there appears to be at present a public necessity for a change in the existing condition of affairs.

THE LUXBURG TELEGRAMS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

BUENOS AYRES, MONDAY.

The Government has received a despatch from the Argentine Minister at Berlin stating that in consequence of the absence of Baron von Kuehlmann, who is now at Munich, called upon Baron von Dem Busche, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, who declared that the Government regrets the Luxburg affair, and disapproves of the views expressed in the Luxburg telegrams. Senor Molina adds that Germany was anxious to send instructions to Count Luxburg to return to Germany to explain the affair orally, and wished to ask for a safe conduct for him. With regard to the declaration of Baron von Dem Busche concerning Count Luxburg, the Government maintains reserve on the ground that a verbal declaration coming from a simple Under-Secretary is not sufficient. The Government awaits a formal note. Count Luxburg will be kept under strict surveillance on the ground that he is still displaying dangerous activity.

Senor Molina, Argentine Minister to Germany, has informed Senor Pueyrredon, Minister of Foreign Affairs, that in consequence of the receipt of a note announcing that Count Luxburg had been handed his passport he has refrained from carrying out Germany's demand that he should obtain safe conduct for Count Luxburg.

TUESDAY.

It is stated that the Spanish Ambassador will ask for a safe conduct for Count Luxburg.

GERMAN APOLOGY TO SWEDEN.

A Stockholm telegram says:—It is officially announced that the German Minister here has, by direction of his Government, expressed to the Swedish Minister of Foreign Affairs his (the German) Government's deep regret for the annoyance caused to Sweden by the affair of the Buenos Ayres telegrams.

The *Social Demokraten* says:—The German apology to Sweden, when fully considered, shrinks to a regret that the Swedish Government should have suffered subsequent consequences on account of services rendered to Germany. In other words, Germany regrets that the affair has been discovered.

SWEDEN AND GERMANY.

M. Trygger, the leader of the Right Party (Conservatives), says a Stockholm telegram, dated Monday night, addressed a meeting in the Auditorium on the policy of his party regarding foreign affairs. He said that it was difficult to judge the situation with the slight information to hand, but he went on to say—We regret that Sweden, through her good nature, has given the Argentine Republic occasion for displeasure with us. Our constant care to protect the rights of peoples during this war, which rights have been more often infringed than ever before, should be proffered against any suspicion of desiring unduly to favour any of the combatants. Sweden, he said, can never join those who would crush the moral, culture-bringing German nation." The speaker emphasised that Sweden's interests required her to preserve her neutrality, even in the light of the latest events of the war, and he declared that those who hoped to find Sweden in the ranks of war would deceive themselves greatly if they believed that, by hook or by crook, they could manage to persuade Sweden to take part in the war. The Conservative losses in the elections were due, not to the foreign policy of the Government, but to domestic questions, such as the food problem. After an attack on M. Branting, the Socialist leader, M. Trygger concluded with an appeal to the electors plainly to express their determination not to sacrifice the peace and natural sovereignty of Sweden.

GOD'S PURPOSE.

"The Purposes of the Ages" was the subject of a lecture which the Rev. Cecil Lovely gave yesterday afternoon in the hall of the Church of Ireland Y.M.C.A., as Secretary of the Trinitarian Bible Society. In the course of an interesting paper, Mr. Lovely said that never in the history of the Bible societies had they had such an opportunity of circulating the Word of God as during the war, when more Bibles and more Scriptures had been circulated throughout the world than ever before.

Mr. Lovely will give the second of his prophetic lectures this afternoon in the Young Men's Hall. It is entitled "An Enemy Hath Done This."

COUNTY WEXFORD FARMERS AND CATTLE ORDER.

At a meeting of the Kilmore Farmers' Association (Co. Wexford) a resolution was passed again bringing to the notice of the Irish Board of Agriculture the harm that is being done by the Food Controller's meat prices, as they inflict a big loss on the feeder of stock and an injury on the tillage farmer, as they deprive the latter of the manure, to the detriment of food production.

Fatal Accident.—Michael Delaney, while unloading corn for his employer, Mr. F. Finn, Thurles, fell off the load, and received such spinal injuries that he succumbed in hospital yesterday.

Girl Drowned.—A girl named Nora Fitzmaurice, while fording the River Feale from Islandanny to Duagh, half-way between Listowel and Abbeyfeale, lost her footing, and, failing into deep water, was drowned.

Sligo Grammar School's Headmaster.—The Committee of Management have passed a resolution congratulating the headmaster of the school, Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. S. Caldwell, Loyal North Lancashire Regiment, on having obtained command of his battalion at the front and on his recovery from severe wounds.

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THE KING AMONGST CLYDE WORKERS.

GREAT SCENES IN GLASGOW.

HIS MAJESTY CHEERED BY IMMENSE CROWDS.

DECORATIONS BESTOWED IN IBROX PARK.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

GLASGOW, TUESDAY.

Primarily, the object of King George in his visit to Clydeside is to show his appreciation of the shipbuilding and munition workers of the great northern port, who have put in such strenuous war service during the past three years, but to-day His Majesty did that, and more. He not only made an inspection of some of the greatest works on the Clyde, but found time to pass through a number of Glasgow's most interesting thoroughfares, and to conclude with an investiture of Scottish worthies, of heroic soldiers, and others who have done services for their country.

Pre-war Royal visits partook somewhat of the spectacular. To-day's ceremonial, if such it may be called, was more impressive than if accompanied by any military display. It was simply a sojourn amongst the people who have laboured for the war, whose kith and kin have suffered by the war, and whose gallant soldiers have risked life and limb in patriotic devotion.

The drive through Glasgow was remarkable as showing the link between the Sovereign and the lowliest of his subjects in the poorest districts.

SCHOLARSHIP AND INDUSTRY.

Scholarship and industry also vied with each other in doing honour to the King. Upon reaching Glasgow early in the day, His Majesty first made his acquaintance with the University dignitaries. The Royal motor sped along quickly, and soon plunged into the centre of the industrial area bordering on the river. Here a different aspect was presented, but it was not less inspiring than the surroundings of Glasgow's home of culture.

Following the lines of the previous day, His Majesty's morning programme was to see the merchant shipbuilding yards and marine engine works in the Clyde district, and also the principal rolling mills. A great reception awaited him as he entered the works of Messrs. David Rowan and Co., marine engineers and boiler-makers, where ten thousand men and nearly a thousand girl workers clustered amongst the mammoth machinery and voiced their greeting in no uncertain manner.

His Majesty fraternised with the employés, walking up to and chatting familiarly with those who had put in long years of service with the firm. For nearly everybody in all parts of the huge area covered by the works, the King had a smile. There was presented to him an elderly worker named John Edgar, who, it was explained by the manager, earned as large a bonus as anyone on the ground, and used the money to run Sunday schools. Tremendous boilers and engines were brought under the notice of His Majesty, such monsters as were never known before in the whole history of shipbuilding.

KING TALKS WITH SHOP STEWARDS.

Thence the King was transferred to the world-known shipyard of Messrs. D. and W. Henderson and Co., Ltd. Here he entered into a busy hive of shipbuilding, such vessels in the course of construction as have seldom been seen even in Great Britain, the acknowledged home of all that is best and most efficient in naval architecture.

His Majesty conversed with a number of the shop stewards. He asked a steward named Donald Stewart, how things were going on in shipbuilding. "All right," replied Mr. Stewart; "I don't think we could be doing much better." "That's good," answered the King. "You'll be pleased to note there are fewer sinkings?" "Well, I hope that'll continue," remarked the shop steward. "But it is to you men we are looking to give us the ships," observed His Majesty. "Well," said the man, "we are doing to do our best here. I think Your Majesty may depend on that."

The King lost no time, and in threequarters of an hour was off to the shipyard of Messrs. Brys and Gyleas, where a Best new power station attracted his attention.

AN EMBARRASSED WORKER.

He chatted with a sturdy-looking fellow about his work; then he held out his hand to grip the hand of this son of the toil. The man hesitated; he hardly liked to shake the hand of a King with his black, greasy, horny hand, but His Majesty insisted, and, as the typical lusty fellow saw it was no use offering further demur, he rubbed his hand down the leg of his trousers, and held it out to be clasped by His Majesty.

The yard of Messrs. Charles Connell and Co. next came under review, and, as at the visits to the preceding yards, shipbuilding was in progress at its highest speed.

AT THE CITY HALL.

In the afternoon the Municipality was honoured with a visit. To get to the City Chambers His Majesty had to traverse about three miles of streets, which embraced the well-known Cowcaddens area. What the King saw there was a spectacle which would not be easy to efface from memory. This region is rather unsavoury of character, and holds out no hopeful prospect of adaptation to regal state.

That the presence of His Majesty in this part of the city met with abundant appreciation was evidenced by the extraordinary scenes which marked the passage of the Sovereign. Greeting came from a packed multitude of the poorest of the poor. They stood at the edge of the roadway. Thousand upon thousand of them.

From this whirl of excitement King George proceeded to the serene atmosphere of the City Hall. In the superb Banqueting Hall the King received the civic dignitaries.

SCENE IN IBROX PARK.

Soon afterwards a move was made to Ibrox Park, where the crowning event of the day, the investiture of heroes of the war, and scores of others who have performed meritorious service, took place. On the way to the great football park yet another impressive scene distinguished the episodes of a remarkable occasion. On the south side of the river is Palestine, so known from its being the district in which the Jewish population mainly resides.

The investiture at Ibrox Park was a truly magnificent spectacle. There had been gathered together in the spacious stadium something approaching 80,000 persons. Nearly everyone carried a flag, and when the King arrived they joined up and sang the National Anthem, whilst His Majesty stood at the salute. The King drove round the ground amidst a deafening roar of acclaim, and when this was ended he mounted a platform in the centre of the field, from which he bestowed the honours.

Wounded soldiers were grouped together opposite His Majesty, who was surrounded by his military suite. The King, in the uniform of a Field-Marshal, faced the gallant fellows, many on crutches and men alive, who had passed through the ordeal of battle. A military band played patriotic and inspiring airs, and the Volunteers, who were on guard, were at attention.

There thundered forth again from nearly a hundred thousand throats a mighty hurrah as the recipients of honours began to pass in front of His Majesty. The first was Lord Strathclyde (better known as Mr. Alexander Ure), Chief Judge of the High Court of Session of Scotland. He was invested by His Majesty with the Grand Cross of the British Empire. Several British Empire Knighthoods were bestowed, the recipients bending the knee, and His Majesty gently tapping each on the shoulders with a sword. Altogether there were 143 honours, including three Victoria Crosses, 46 Military Medals, 53 Military Crosses, 14 Distinguished Conduct Medals, and honours in the British Empire Orders.

A great cheer broke forth as Miss L. Robinson walked up to the King to receive the Medal of the Order. She has done well in munition work, and was attired in the buff-coloured garb worn by those engaged in that class of service. The greatest ovations, however, were reserved for Lieut. M'Cue, one of the only two Victoria Cross, and of this trio Private H. Christian, Royal Lancaster Regiment, has not yet recovered from his very serious wounds. He had to be carried to the platform on an invalid chair. His Majesty placed the highest honour he can bestow on the hero's breast, and spoke to him some kindly words of congratulation and sympathy. Christian was too ill to remain to see his comrades decorated, and was at once carried off the ground.

Private G. Mackintosh, Gordon Highlanders, and Lance-Corporal Prickleton, of the New Zealand Rifle Brigade, were the other two on whose coats the King pinned the coveted award.

Tomorrow His Majesty pays a further round of visits to the shipyards and factories.

THE QUEEN AT COVENTRY.

The Queen and Princess Mary yesterday visited Coventry, that wonderful industrial centre, which, from a population of 45,000 in 1870, is now 140,000, of which 40,000 are girl workers. Her Majesty's special interest in Coventry from the latter fact is easily understood. On the visit to the hostels and housing colony, it was explained to the Queen that the latter provides accommodation for great numbers of both sexes.

The kitchen arrangements specially claimed attention, and the Royal visitors were supplied with, and accepted, refreshments of the same standard exactly as supplied to workers.

Arriving at Coventry at 11.30, the return journey was started soon after 5 o'clock.

Mr. Philip Snowden, M.P., who has been unwell in the country, was last night reported to be a little better.

"BERMALINE" Best Brown Bread. —(Advt.)

ROLL OF HONOUR

Last night's casualty lists show the following losses:—Dead—Officers, 32; men, 959. Wounded or missing—Officers, 99; men, 2,854. Analysis of lists:—Killed—Officers, 20; men, 474. Now reported dead—Officers, 7; men, 170. Died of wounds—Officers, 5; men, 251. Died—Officers, nil; men, 64. Wounded—Officers, 89; men, 2,127. Missing—Officers, 6; men, 727.

KILLED.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.
BLAKE, Lt.-col. and Adj. C.B.
GEE, Sec. Lt. F. H.
HUNTER, Sec. Lt. T. K.
KEMPE, Maj. H. S., M.C.

LANCASHIRE FUSILIERS.
AITKEN, Sec. Lt. J. K.
BAILEY, Sec. Lt. F.
IMBERWOOD, Sec. Lt. H.
BURROWS, Sec. Lt. E. B.
PROUTOR, Sec. Lt. G. V.

OTHER REGIMENTS.
ARMER, Second Lieutenant A., Border Regiment.
BARTLEMAN, Second Lieutenant E. Ray, Seaforth Highrs.
DUNN, Lieutenant A. G., Royal Army Medical Corps.
GOOD, Second Lieutenant H. W., Royal Berkshire Regiment.
DIXON, Second Lieutenant H. G., Royal Garrison Art.
HEATON, Second Lieutenant C. D'F., M.C.
PILKINGTON, Lieutenant J. G., Royal Flying Corps.
STRATHAM, Second Lieutenant H. T. F., Dorset Regt.
TOWNSEND, Lieutenant A. G., King's Liverpool Regiment.
WILLIAMS, Second Lieutenant W., Welsh Regiment.
TULLIDGE, Captain B. H., Worcester Regiment.

NOW REPORTED KILLED.

BOSHER, Second Lieutenant A. E. B., R.F.A.
KINGHAM, Lieutenant L. A., Royal Berks Regiment.
PAY, Second Lieutenant W., Royal Scots.
WOODIN, Second Lieutenant E. G., Queen's Regiment.
NORWOOD, Sec. Lieut. R. C., Oxf. and Bucks. L.I.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

CROSBIE, Lieut. J. C., R.G.A., and R.F.C.
EVANS, Major P. E., Royal Field Artillery.
LEWIS, Lieut.-Col. H. W., Manch. R. (Maj. Devon R.).
HILL, Capt. H. H. M.C., Duke of Cornwall's Regiment.
PLUMB, Second Lieutenant R. S., Duke of Well. Regt.

NOW REPORTED DIED OF WOUNDS.

LAWRENSON, Captain R. F., Oban Highlanders.
WATSON, Second Lieutenant J. C., Cameron Highrs.

WOUNDED.

ROYAL FIELD ARTILLERY.
ALLEN, Lt.-col. H. H.
BRAITHWAITE, Sec. Lt.
GRIFFITH, Sec. Lt. W. S.
LLOYD, Sec. Lt. R. O. E.
McLEAN, Lt.
GUEST, Sec. Lt. C. B. G.
SEWARD, Sec. Lt. W. B.
SPICER, Sec. Lt. C.
TAMSETT, Sec. Lt. C.
WHITING, Sec. Lt. H. J.

ROYAL GARRISON ARTILLERY.
AUSTEN, Sec. Lt. A. J.
COPP, Capt. C.
HISCOTT, Lt. L. S.
LOUDOUN-SHAND, Lt. F. W.
MALVIN, Sec. Lt. S. J.
MOULTON, Maj. Hon. H. L. F.
NEWBALT, Capt. T. M. J.
VELTOM, Sec. Lt. H. N.
WELLS, Sec. Lt. C. H.
THOMSON, Sec. Lieut. D. D. C.

MACHINE GUN CORPS.
CLEAVER, Sec. Lt. W. B.
McKAY, Sec. Lt. F. N.
BAILEY, Sec. Lt. R. W.
DATTINO, Sec. Lt. W. J.
COOKE, Sec. Lt. W. B.
MOODY, Sec. Lt. S. G.
WILLIAMS, Lieut. M.
TRACKER, Sec. Lt. O. M.

ROYAL ENGINEERS.
HAUGHTON, Lt. R. M. S.
LAYMAN, Sec. Lt. E. H. G.
McCAGGART, Sec. Lt. G. D. M.
URCHHOFF, Capt. R. H.

WELSH REGIMENT.
DAVIES, Sec. Lt. T. C.
BOSTOCK, Lt. M. G.

RIFLE BRIGADE.
BEATTIE, Capt. Hon. A. D. O.
COATES, P. P.
RISLEY, Capt. N.
LAWLAY, Sec. Lt. A. W. R.
SINGLETON, Lt. H.
SLADE, Capt. H. A., M.C.

EAST LANCASHIRE REGIMENT.
PENDERGAST, Sec. Lt. L.
TARRANT, Capt. P. J.
TAYLOR, Lt. H.
WOMERSLEY, Sec. Lt. A. B.

LANCASHIRE FUSILIERS.
FORD, Sec. Lt. C. H.
FORESTER, Sec. Lt. A.
CANDY, Sec. Lt. R. E.
DENNIS, Sec. Lt. R. W.
HAY, Sec. Lt. T. F. W.
WILLOUGHBY, Sec. Lt.

OTHER REGIMENTS.
BAIN, Sec. Lt., Gordon Highlanders.
BLACK, Sec. Lt. J. M., Gordon Highlanders.
BUTLER, Sec. Lt. R. G. N., Leinster Regiment.
COOKSON, Sec. Lt. C. H., Royal Scots.
CARPENTER, Sec. Lt. D., Essex Regiment.
CORDER, Sec. Lt. W. J., Worcestershire Regiment.
CREWDSON, Sec. Lt. H. A., Coldstream Guards.
DAVIS, Sec. Lt. M. A. D., King's Royal Rifle Corps.
DENNING, Sec. Lt. H. J., Gloucester Regiment.
FITZGIBBON, Sec. Lt. J., Army Chap. Department.
FOOKES, Sec. Lt. P. S., Worcestershire Regiment.
GILBEY, Sec. Lt. A. J., Grenadier Guards.
GIBSON, Lt.-col. H., Royal Army Medical Corps.
GITTON, Sec. Lt. W., Leinster Regiment.
GARNER, Sec. Lt. R. V., Grenadier Guards.
GOODSON, Sec. Lt. H. W., Herefordsire Regiment.
HAMILTON, Sec. Lt. R. W., Royal Irish Rifles.
HAIG-BROWN, Lt.-col. A. H., D.S.O., Middlesex Regt.
HARRIS, Sec. Lt. G. M., Duke of Cornwall's L.I.
HOLMES, Sec. Lt. R. H., Royal Irish Rifles.
LYNCH, Sec. Lt. G., Leinster Regiment.
MOORE, Capt. H., Royal Army Medical Corps.
MOORE, Capt. H., M.C., Royal Army Medical Corps.
MORGAN, Sec. Lt. H. R. G., Grenadier Guards.
REID, Lt. R. T., Cyclist Batt., attd. M.G. Corps.
ROOKES, Sec. Lt. W. H., King's Own Yorks. L.I.
SANDISON, Capt. J. F. W., Royal Army Medical Corps.
SURIVENER, Sec. Lt. J. F. B., London Regiment.
STEELE, Sec. Lt. J., Cameronians (Scottish Rifles).
WILOUGHBY, Sec. Lt. H. L., Manch. R., attd. Lan.F.
WILSON, Lt. A., Monmouth Regiment.

WOUNDED AND MISSING.

BARNETT, Lt. R. K., F.C., Lan. Fus. and M.G.C.
GRIFFIN, Sec. Lt. J. D., Royal Fus., attd. Lan. Fus.

NOW REPORTED MISSING, BELIEVED KILLED.

PEPPER, Capt. S. W., Royal Warwickshire Regt.

NOW REPORTED WOUNDED AND MISSING.

DAY, Sec. Lt. F. J., Welsh Regiment.

PREVIOUSLY INCORRECTLY REPORTED KILLED.

EMPSON, Capt. A., Royal Field Artillery.

MISSING.

HALDANE, Sec. Lt. A., Gord. and Sutherland Highrs.
QUILTER, Sec. Lt. F. G. C., Royal Flying Corps.

NOW REPORTED NOT WOUNDED.

WATKINS, Lt. H. C., Welsh Regt. and M.G.C.

CORRECTION.

WOUNDED.

TETLEY, Capt. P., London Regt., should read—Titley, Capt. P., London Regt.

NURSING SERVICE.

WOUNDED.

HAWKINS, Sister W., T.F. Nursing Service.

NEW ZEALAND FORCES.

WOUNDED.

JOHNSTONE, Sec. Lt. F., New Zealand Infantry.
NEWTON, Sec. Lt. E., New Zealand Infantry.

EAST AFRICAN FORCE.

DIED.

ALCOCK, Lieut. F., King's African Rifles.
O'BRIEN, Private J., African Pioneer Corps.

NAVAL LIST.

KILLED.

VERNON, Act. Scmdrcr Commander T. C., R.N.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

CANDEY, Mr. H. C., Telegraphist, R.N.R.

WOUNDED.

FOSTER, Capt. L. La T., Royal Marine Artillery.

OTHER RANKS.

IRISHMEN AND MEN IN IRISH REGIMENTS ONLY.

All are privates except where otherwise shown. The town shown against each soldier's name is the home of the next-of-kin, except when followed by the abbreviation "Enl.", when it is his place of enlistment.

NOW REPORTED DIED OF WOUNDS.

ROYAL IRISH RIFLES.—Goodchild, 43263 C. (Clapton, E.); Pugs, 360 F. (Kilkeel).

DIED.

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS.—Barrett, 9995 (Londonderry).
ROYAL IRISH FUSILIERS.—McCann, 24623 B. (Monaghan).

The Late Lieutenant A. N. Callaghan, King's (Liverpool Regiment)—Mr. T. P. Callaghan, Hollywood, Blackrock, received on the 18th September from Buckingham Palace the following telegram:—"The King and Queen deeply regret the loss you and the Army have sustained by the death of your son in the service of his country. Their Majesties truly sympathise with you in your sorrow.—Keeper of the Privy Purse."

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HELP SOCIETY.

The monthly meeting of the Executive Committee of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Help Society was held in the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, yesterday. There were present:—Viscountess Powerscourt, in the chair; Lady Arnott, Mrs. McDonnell, Lady Thomson, Mrs. Godfrey Knox, Rev. C. Peacocke, C.F.; Messrs. H. D. Pack Beresford, A. E. C. Hamilton, and Colonel G. C. Dobbs, Hon. Secretary.

Letters regretting inability to attend were received from Mrs. Gaisford St. Lawrence, Mrs. Fetherstonhaugh, Colonel Edgeworth-Johnstone, Messrs. J. A. Maconchy, W. T. Kirkpatrick, D. R. Pack Beresford.

The following reports of work done were received:—

Dublin City—100 new cases were registered during August, and £34 18s. 7d. was expended in relief. £1 was granted in each of two cases outside the city area, and funeral expenses were paid in another case.

The Men's Clothing Guild received 66 articles of clothing, and 318 garments were issued to 77 men.

The Needlework Guild—From July 11 to September 14 received 467 articles of clothing and comforts and 5s. in cash. 396 articles were sent to men on active service and on mine-sweepers, and 33 garments were supplied to six men on sick furlough.

Employment Bureau—Total number of men registered, 1,670; employed, 894; medically unfit, 104; crossed off books or cannot be traced since registration, 225.

Tuberculosis Committee—Number of men registered, 154; sent to hospital or sanatoria, 157; employed, 21; re-enlisted, 3; died, 27.

Disabled Soldiers' Workrooms—Number of men employed or undergoing instruction, 22; carpenters, 10; basket-makers, 6; wood yard, 5; delivery, 1.

The Hon. Treasurer reported that £35 had been granted for relief from the General Fund, and £55 from the Statutory Committee Funds—viz., Co. Longford, £25; Co. Tipperary, £20; Co. Donegal, £10. The Employment Bureau expended £100 14s. 2d., and the Tuberculosis Committee £6.

CARRIER PIGEON FOUND.

A carrier pigeon arrived at the Rectory, Vale of Ovoca, Woodenbridge, Co. Wicklow, in a very exhausted condition. It was marked: 770.452 2068 U.F. 17. Rev. J. M. Robinson would be glad to return it to the owner.

ASSISTANT CLERKS (ABSTRACTORS).

The result of the July, 1917, exam. has just been announced, and the following 18 Students were successful from SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 Stephen's Green, Dublin: Messrs. Shanks, O'Carroll, Seery, Ritchie, O'Driscoll, Hayden, Dinnigan, Brady, D.; Daly, Gummer, O'Donnell, Doyle, McConnell, Slack, Brady, H. C.; Leslie, Nugent, and Hoey. Best Irish Result.—(Advt.)

Fashionable Intelligence

The Marquis and Marchioness of Ormonde are in residence at Kilkenny Castle.

Viscount Milner is staying with Mr. Lloyd George at Criccieth. No date has yet been fixed for the Prime Minister's return to London.

Viscount Iveagh returned to his house in Grosvenor square, London, on Monday from Ashford, Kent.

Lord Stopford has arrived in Wexford from London.

Lord and Lady Pirrie, who have been spending the past week in Belfast, have arrived in London.

Lord Edward FitzGerald has left London for Northumberland.

A marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between the Rev. Alan Armstrong, eldest son of the Rev. Chancellor Armstrong, of Kilrush, Co. Clare, and Olive Marie Neill, eldest daughter of the late Rev. Herbert R. Neill, Rector of Headford, Co. Galway.

Henry Green Sherlock, F.R.C.S.I., has returned to 14 Westland row.

Miss Florence Gaskell has returned from London, and will resume her Classes at the Molesworth Hall on Thursday, 27th September.

A selection of beautiful "Glenister" and Jay Velour Hats has just been received by "Switzer's," of Grafton street. "Jay" Hats are obtainable in Dublin only at Switzer's.

Charmingly Pretty, yet very inexpensive, are the New Blouses at Holmes', George's street.

Have you ever had an upholstered chair cleaned? Send one to Dartry Dye Works, Dartry road, Dublin, and you will be surprised at the wonderful result.

Amongst the visitors staying at the Grand Hotel, Malahide during the week were the following:—Miss Dora Isabel Massey, Mr. John T. Ray, Mrs. John T. Ray, Mrs. Shapland Tandy, Captain Alfred Reginald Woods, Mrs. Alfred Reginald Woods, child, and nurse; Mr. William Anthony Robinson, Mrs. William Anthony Robinson and two children, Miss Abbott, Dr. R. Bolton McCausland, Mrs. R. Bolton McCausland, Mr. Charles Edward McCausland, Mr. Arnold Graves, Major Roger Maingay, Mrs. Roger Maingay, Mr. Nicholas A. Brophy, Mrs. Nicholas A. Brophy, Mr. Richard Annesley Walker, Mrs. Richard Annesley Walker, Mr. Edward E. Lysaght, Mrs. Edward E. Lysaght, child, and nurse; Miss H. B. Vaughan, the Rev. J. A. Martyn, Mr. Sidney R. Lysaght, Mrs. Sidney R. Lysaght, Mr. William M. Potterton, Mrs. William M. Potterton, Mrs. Margaret O'Connor, Dr. Sidney Young, Mrs. Sidney Young, Mr. Robert Armstrong Corscadden, Mrs. Robert Armstrong Corscadden, Lieutenant M. T. Smith, Mrs. Norah Constance Robertson, two children, and nurse; Miss Florence Bewley, Miss Sarah Elizabeth Pease.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail steamers.—Colonel Lionel Corbett, D.S.O.; Major and Mrs. Gore, Captain and Mrs. Rogerson, Rev. Denis Patrick Nolan, O.S.B.; Lieutenant A. Muir White, Lady Laurinda Muir White, Miss Muir White, Lieutenant A. T. Parry, Captain R. G. Phillips, Rev. Dr. Lindsay, Rev. Dr. Preston, Miss Preston, Miss Franklin, Captain and Mrs. Rogerson, Surgeon Pritchard, R.N., Captain Cairnes, Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Shackleton, D.S.O.; Captain Nixon, Sir James Murphy, Sir Andrew Armstrong, Captain A. R. Peebles, Hon. Mrs. A. Hore Ruthven, Lady Palmer, Lieutenant-Colonel Alderson, Mrs. R. Peel, Mr. and Mrs. Percy G. Norton, R.E., Mr. J. Merrin, G. Casey, Sergeant R. D. Gattanach, Mrs. Rogers, Mr. Cecil Rogers, Mr. Cecil Wheeler, G. O. Avison, C. J. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. H. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. Keogh, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Surgeon-Captain A. D.; Miss M. E. Keeler, Miss Howe, Miss E. Howe, Miss Grummell, Miss A. Hamilton, Miss Hamilton, Miss Lorna Weldon, Miss G. M. Weldon, Miss Lloyd Crosbie, Miss F. E. Crosbie, Miss D. Crosbie, Miss Phillips, Mrs. F. E. Crosbie, Mrs. Parkes, Mrs. Percy Parkes, Miss Sheridan, Miss Lee, Miss Maginn, Miss Sackett, Miss McQuaker, Miss Penrose, Miss Penrose, Mr. Mitchell, Mrs. G. W. Sergeant Kemp, Mrs. and Miss Pigott.

Departures from Kingstown per Royal Mail steamers:—Colonel Lionel Corbett, D.S.O.; Major and Mrs. Gore, Captain and Mrs. Rogerson, Rev. Denis Patrick Nolan, O.S.B., Lieutenant A. Muir White, Lady Laurinda Muir White, Miss Muir White, Lieutenant A. T. Parry, Captain R. G. Phillips, Rev. Dr. Lindsay, Rev. Dr. Preston, Miss Preston, Miss Franklin, Captain and Mrs. Rogerson, Surgeon Pritchard, R.N., Captain Cairnes, Lieutenant-Colonel R. H. Shackleton, D.S.O.; Captain Nixon, Sir James Murphy, Sir Andrew Armstrong, Captain A. R. Peebles, Hon. Mrs. A. Hore Ruthven, Lady Palmer, Lieutenant-Colonel Alderson, Mrs. R. Peel, Mr. and Mrs. Percy G. Norton, R.E., Mr. J. Merrin, G. Casey, Sergeant R. D. Gattanach, Mrs. Rogers, Mr. Cecil Rogers, Mr. Cecil Wheeler, G. O. Avison, C. J. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. H. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. Keogh, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, Surgeon-Captain A. D.; Miss M. E. Keeler, Miss Howe, Miss E. Howe, Miss Grummell, Miss A. Hamilton, Miss Hamilton, Miss Lorna Weldon, Miss G. M. Weldon, Miss Lloyd Crosbie, Miss F. E. Crosbie, Miss D. Crosbie, Miss Phillips, Mrs. F. E. Crosbie, Mrs. Parkes, Mrs. Percy Parkes, Miss Sheridan, Miss Lee, Miss Maginn, Miss Sackett, Miss McQuaker, Miss Penrose, Miss Penrose, Mr. Mitchell, Mrs. G. W. Sergeant Kemp, Mrs. and Miss Pigott.

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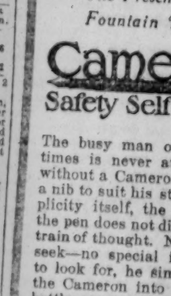

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WHIPPET OWNER CHARGED WITH TRICKERY.
A whippet owner and trainer, named Emanuel Prince, of 22 Morehampton terrace, Donnybrook, aged 37 years, was charged by detective-sergeant Hanlon, before Mr. Drury yesterday in the South Dublin Police Court, with between 12 and 1 p.m. on the 4th of August, at Dandy Mount, in the course of a trick from a messenger named Matthew Evans (a child), belonging to Mrs. Kenny, of Seafort Essex street. It was said that the boy Evans had been sent to the National Bank for change by a customer, Mrs. Kenny. That Friday meeting on near Jury's Hotel took place, and the exchange had been made in the bank, and taking the prisoner to be him sent him back thither. At the bank messenger found that he was not so recognised. The magistrate, committed the defendant for trial at the next City Commission, and let him out of custody in bail of £50.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

DUBLIN STOCK EXCHANGE.

CONSOLS LOWER. BANK STOCK GOOD. DUBLIN DISTILLERS EASY. TRAMS BETTER. DUNLOP RUBBERS STRONG.

DUBLIN, TUESDAY EVENING.

There was mostly a quiet business in public securities on 'Change to-day, but some of the price movements were interesting. Consols were weak, but Bank of Ireland Stock was strong, and rose 2 points. Guinness and Tramway shares were bid for at higher prices. Dunlop Rubber Shares were good on a continuance of support for the other side. Dublin Distillers issues and Coventry Premier shares were severely affected by sales to secure profits.

Gilt-edged Funds were irregular. Consols fell ⅛, but Irish Land 2½ p.c. rose ⅛, and India 3½ p.c. ¼. The feature in Banking securities was the strength of the bidding for Bank Stock and Leinster and Leinster shares. The former rose ½ to 94, and the latter ½ to 5½. Nationals closed ¼ to ⅜ lower.

BANK OF IRELAND RATE, 5 PER CENT. ALLOWANCE ON DEPOSITS, 2½ PER CENT.

	Previous Price.	Business Nominal Done Quotation For Cash. Bid. Ask'd
Government Funds, etc.		
Consols	55¼	54⅝ ... ...
5% War Loan, 1929-47	94⅜	94⅛ ... ...
3½ p.c. (I. Land Act)	83½	83⅛ ... ...
2½ p.c. India Stock	64½	65 ... ...
Banks.		
Bank of Ireland	192	1184 ... ...
Leinster and Leinster	6	6⅛ ... ...
National Bank	15⅝	115⅛ ⅝ ...
Northern Banking A	...	21⅜ ... ...
Breweries and Distilleries.		
Dublin Distillers Ord	44*	43⅜ ... ...
Dublin Distillers 6% Pf	5⅜*	5⅛ ... ...
Guinness Ord	27¼	27¾ ... ...
Telegraphs and Telephones.		
Marconi's Wireless Tel	62/	62/ ... ...
Railways and Tramways.		
G. S. & W. (I.) Orig	74	174½ ... ...
Gt. Nth. West. Ord	...	... 25 25¼
Clerk and Macteggart	6¼	6⅛ ... ...
Gt. Nth. East. Pref	...	49¾ ... ...
Gt. Sth. & West. 4% Guar	75	75¼ ... ...
Dublin United Trams Ord	7¾	7⅞ ... ...
Provincial Tram Ord	18/6	18/9 ... ...
Miscellaneous.		
Parent Tyre Ord	24/9	... 24/6 25/
Parent Tyre Def	18/9	19/ ... ...
Parent Tyre Cum Pref	16/	16/ ... ...
Armstrong Cum. Pref	...	... 11/6 ...
Calico Printers Ord	14/6	14/4½ ... ...
Coats Ord	6¾	7⅛ ... ...
Coats 20% Pref. Ord	25	25 ... ...
English Sew. Cotton Ord	50/4½	50/6 ... ...
Bowden 4% Deb	73/7½	77/6 ... ...
Imperial Tobacco 6%	...	20 ... ...
Vickers Ord	...	... 36/3 ...
Irish Civil Service Building	17½	18 ... ...

* Ex-dividend; † exceptional amount at special price. ** Free of stamp duty. Business commences at 12 o'clock noon. Stock Exchange closed on Saturdays.

OTHER BUSINESS DONE—11.45 o'clock.

Coventry Premier, Ltd., Ord.	2/6-2/7½
Do. Pref.	5/9
Dunlop Rubber Co. Ord.	95/-
Do. 6 p.c. "A" Cum. Pref.	20/3
Do. 6½ p.c. "B" Cum. Pref.	20/6
Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of Canada	9/9
Shell Transport and Trading Co. Ord.	5¾

ACTIVE DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following were among the "markings" on 'Change yesterday:—

2½ per cent. War Loan—87, 6½, 7½, 7, 7½.
4½ per cent. War Loan—97½, ½, ½,

SALES BY JOHN THORNTON & CO.

DALKEY, "BREFFNI HOUSE," CHURCH RD.

PER INSTRUCTIONS OF F. S. WHITNEY, ESQ.

SALE BY AUCTION (ON THE PREMISES), MONDAY, 24TH SEPTEMBER, 1917.

RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

BAY COB MARE, 6 YEARS OLD, 14 HANDS, PERFECT IN HARNESS, GUARANTEED QUIET AND SOUND.

FURNITURE comprises:—Very fine Chesterfield Settee, Easy and Small Chairs, in Velvet, &c.; Boot Stand, Pedding Table, Gilt-framed Mirror; Drawingroom Suite (11 pieces); part Etruscan Dinner Service; several Art Union Engravings; splendid Engraving "Derby Day," Signed Copy; capital Fireproof Safe, by Milner; Dresser, Tables, Chairs, Carpets, Fenders, Kerbs; large collection of Books; Garden Roller, &c., &c.

Terms—Cash and Five per cent. Auction Fees. ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE.

HOUSE TO LET.

SALE COMMENCES 12.30 O'CLOCK.

MONKSTOWN, 45 BELGRAVE SQUARE, WEST.

EXECUTOR'S SALE BY AUCTION (ON THE PREMISES).

IN RE CHAWORTH JOSEPH FERGUSSON, DECEASED.

THURSDAY, 27TH SEPTEMBER, 1917.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, &c.,

Comprising:—Cottage Piano, by Collard and Collard; two Davenports, End-of-room Mirror, in Gilt Frame, with best; Gilt-Frame Mantel Mirrors; Easy and Occasional Chairs, in Velvet, &c.; Rosewood Half-circle Console Table, Octagon and other Tables, Pair French Candelabras, Pictures, Frames, Ornaments, Lace and other Curtains, Axminster and Brussels Room and Stair Carpets, Brass Kerb Suite, Fenders, Steels, Ashpan, Coal Vases, Mahogany Pedestal Sideboard; six Chairs, in Pegamoid; Dumb Waiter, Pedestal Writing Table, Mahogany Cabinet, Bentwood Chairs. THE FURNISHING OF FIVE FAMILY BEDROOMS includes—Mahogany Three-door Wardrobe, 4ft. 6in. Mahogany do., Gent.'s Mahogany do., handsome Cheval Mirror, Chests of Drawers, Duchess and Toilet Pairs, Fine Bedroom Suite, Deal Wardrobes, Toilet Mirrors, Toilet Ware, Couch, Ottoman, Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Spiral-Spring and Hair Mattresses, Feather Beds, &c.; Mahogany Hall Stand, Marble-top Hall Table, two Hall Chairs, Gong, Linoleums, usual Kitchen Furnishings, Culinary Utensils; Contents of two Maids' Rooms; Lawn Mower, &c., &c. SALE COMMENCES AT 11.30 SHARP. Terms—Cash and Five per cent. Fees.

ON VIEW WEDNESDAY, 26TH INST., FROM 10.30 TO 5 O'CLOCK.

Messrs. STANURLL and SON, Solicitors, 137-8 St. Stephen's Green, W., Dublin.

THOMPSON'S GARAGE, BRUNSWICK STREET DUBLIN.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF ENGINES, LORRIES, THRESHING MACHINES, &c.

WE HAVE BEEN FAVOURED WITH INSTRUCTIONS FROM MESSRS. THOMPSON, LTD.,

TO SELL BY AUCTION, ON THURSDAY, 27TH SEPTEMBER, AT THE HOUR OF TWO O'CLOCK,

THE FOLLOWING VALUABLE MACHINERY:

WALLIS & STEEVENS 6 H.P. TRACTION ENGINE (as new).
FOWLER 6 H.P. COMPOUND TRACTION ENGINE.
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TWO NEW CLAYTON & SHUTTLEWORTH STEAM THRESHING MACHINES, with Complete Equipments.
4ft 6in. SECOND-HAND STEAM THRESHING MACHINE, by MARSHALL.
7-TON STEAM ROLLER, by T. GREEN and SONS, Leeds; Convertible to Tractor.
3-TON STEAM TRACTOR, by WALLIS & STEEVENS, in good order.
5-TON STEAM LORRY, on Iron Tyres, by WALLIS & STEEVENS.
"STRAKER-SQUIRE" 6-TON LORRY, Colonial Model, fitted Traction-Engine Type Back Wheels; suitable for Timber Haulage.
12 H.P. "MARSHALL" PORTABLE ENGINE.
5-TON TRACTOR WAGGON, by WALLIS and STEEVENS, fitted as Living Van.

The above Valuable PLANT MUST BE CLEARED to meet business requirements, and will be ON VIEW to intending purchasers from MONDAY, 24th September, till HOUR of SALE. For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

THOMPSON'S MOTOR CAR CO. LTD., DUBLIN; OR

R. M. GRAY & SONS, LTD.,

AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 6 ROYAL AVENUE, BELFAST.

WIRES ..... { "TRACTION, DUBLIN." "AUCTIONS, BELFAST." 'PHONES ..... { 5001 DUBLIN. 691 BELFAST.

SALE THIS DAY AT 12 O'CLOCK, in Continuation.

DOLLAND CLONSILLA, CO. DUBLIN.

AUCTION SALE OF A RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS, etc., comprising:—French Gilt Chair; Antique Brass Fenders; Oak Open Bookcase, Bedroom Suites, large Linen Presses, a quantity of Pine and Deal Wardrobes and Presses, Curtains, Engravings and Prints, Ottoman Seats, Golf Clubs, Tennis Racquets, and Exercisers, Grip Bag, Tantalus, Glass and China, a large quantity of good Polished Deal Furniture; Wardrobes, Chests Drawers, Toilet Presses and Tables, Towel Rails and Cleaning, good Iron Bedsteads, Flock and Hair Mattresses and Bedding; Kitchen Dresser, Tables, Chairs, and Clocks, Wicker and Window Chairs, Knife Cleaner and Cooking Utensils, etc.

OUTDOOR EFFECTS include:—Spring Farm Cart, Donkey Cart, Water Cart, Iron Field Roller, Garden Roller, Water Barrels and Wheelbarrows, Rustic Summer Houses, Aquil and Bellows, Rabbit Hutches, Lawn Mowers, Trenching and Polea Tools, Turnip Pulper, Bradford Chain, large Galvanised Iron and Timber Shed, about 24 x 12; Mesh, Fencing, Furniture, etc. Sale To-day, in continuation, at 12 o'clock. Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,

Auctioneers and Appraisers,
17 MERRION ROW and 19 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN.

DRUMCONDRA, SION HILL,

MONDAY, 8th OCTOBER.

WE have received instructions from Mrs. Calderwood TO SELL BY AUCTION, at our Estate Sale-rooms, 17 MERRION ROW, her Residence, as above, standing on about 19¼ acres pasture land, held under two Fee-Farm Grants, at rents amounting to £240 per annum, less landlord's allowance of taxes.

A Ground Rent of £8 5s. 0d. is receivable out of two detached Dwellinghouses; also £5 per annum for 2 Cottages.

The House is a soundly built residence, beautifully situated, with fine views of Dublin Bay and mountains, and overlooking the city; the grounds are artistically laid out, and embellished with fine old timber and handsome gas pillars along the carriage drive.

The Residence contains 4 reception rooms, 8 bedrooms, domestic offices, bathroom (with hot and cold water), kitchen, scullery, maid's room, pantries, wine cellar, etc.

The entire is in perfect order, and ready for immediate occupation. Outside are gate lodge, cottage, gardener's 4-roomed dwelling, 3-stall stable, coachhouse, large hay loft, cowshed and shelters, fowlhouse, pigeries, cart sheds, barn, cattle shelters, yard, etc.; walled in gardens, stocked with fruit and vegetables; vinery, peach and greenhouse, well enclosed yard.

An exceptional opportunity is offered to anyone requiring a first-class residence in city.

Independent of its agricultural value it is undoubtedly a unique opportunity for building purposes, having very extensive frontages.

Premises may be viewed any week day from 2.30 to 5 p.m., or by order from Auctioneers.

Abstract of Title and Conditions of Sale may be had on application to

MAXWELL, WELDON, and CO., Solicitors for Vendor, 40 North George's street, Dublin.

JAMES ADAM & SONS,

Licensed Appraisers, Auctioneers, and House Property Estate Agents,
17 MERRION ROW.

SALE BY HAZLEY & CO.

SALE THIS DAY AT 1 O'CLOCK.

7 CARYSFORT AV., BLACKROCK

AUCTION SALE OF CAPITAL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and Ironmonger's Stock, comprising brilliant toned Upright Cottage Pianoforte by Brinsmead and Co., Inlaid China Cabinet, ditto Sheraton Tables, Couches in Leather, Easy Chairs, Overmantels, Needlework Banner Screen, Mahogany Loo, Two-fall, and Occasional Tables; Inlaid Davenport, Mirrored-back Cabinets, Engravings, Bookcase, Pictures and Ornaments, Carpets, Curtains, Japanned Iron Bedsteads, Hair Mattresses, Blankets and Quilts, Stained Wood Chests of Drawers, Wardrobes, Presses, Dressing Tables and Glasses, Kitchen Dresser, Carpenter Bench, Hand Carts, Oil Stoves, Sundry Biscuits, Zinc Baths, Tea and Dinner, Enamelled Saucepans, Dishes, Frying Pans, Kettles, Slat Water Cans, Mugs, Jugs, Wineglass Cans, Flat Irons, Smoothing Irons; quantity of Paints, Soaps, Starch, Brushes and Handles, Fire Bricks, Nails, Screws, Bolts, Lamp Chimneys, China, Delph, Tea Pots, and other miscellaneous effects.

On View up to hour of Sale.

HAZLEY & CO.,

Auctioneers and Valuers, BLACKROCK.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF IMPORTANT SALE OF DAIRY BUSINESS AND OF VALUABLE FARM, SITUATE AT RAHENY.

MRS. KEANE, of No. 1 Annesley place, North Strand, having decided on retiring from business, owing to the recent death of her son, has instructed me to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on an early date, her interest in the Dairy business carried on by her at the above address, and also her Cattle, etc., and her interest in Lands at Raheny, containing 9oa. 1r. 9p., statute measure.

Further Particulars will appear later.

JOHN O'NEILL,

Auctioneer,
45 SMITHFIELD, DUBLIN.
PETER M. SEALES, Solicitor, 11 College Green, Dublin.

SALES BY PRIVATE TREATY.

RESIDENCE AND LAND FOR SALE.

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE TREATY,

THE GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE,

NEAR MILLTOWN CO. KERRY, WITH FARM ATTACHED.

The dwelling-house contains dining, drawing, and stocks rooms, kitchen, with up-to-date range; pantry on ground floor. The upper floor contains six bedrooms, bathroom, w.c. There is a plentiful supply of hot and cold water throughout the house. The residence is in first class order, and fit for immediate possession. Out-offices are spacious, with stabling, coach-house, dairy, hay and turf sheds, etc., and accommodation for 16 cows. Orchard with young apple trees. The kitchen garden (about an acre) is well stocked with fruit and vegetables, the strawberry beds being exceptionally fine.

The lands are well fenced, watered, and drained, and are all in first class condition, and there is an ample supply of turbary.

The premises contain about 33 Statute acres, subject to a Land Purchase annuity of £12 14s.; Poor Law Valuation £21 5s., and are convenient to the railway station, and within a mile of the town.

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Commodious residence and sufficient out-offices.

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DOCKRELL LIMITED.

PROPERTY AUCTION,

TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), AT 1.15 O'CLOCK, AT OUR ESTATE SALEROOMS, SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET.

28 & 30 ORMOND ROAD, RATHMINES.

Vacant possession will be given to purchasers. Will be sold in one or two lots as required. The houses are open daily for inspection.

Held for a term of 900 years from 25th March, 1876, subject to the annual rent of £7 (being £3 10s. for each house). For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to

Messrs. MOLLOY, FAYLE, and CO., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 18 Eustace street, Dublin.

THE ARK, FOXROCK, 1¼ ACRES.

A handsome VILLA RESIDENCE, six minutes' walk from Foxrock Station. The premises are held under Lease for 999 years from 1st January, 1900, at the yearly rent of £14 3s., and are let for the residue of a term of three years expiring on 15th November, 1919, at the yearly rent of £110, including taxes.

For further particulars and Conditions of sale apply to

ALFRED NORMAN, Esq., LL.D., Solicitor, 11 Ely place, Dublin.

NO. 2 HUGHENDEN, CASTLE AV., CLONTARF.

Held for a term of 200 years, subject to £7 per annum.

NO. 9 CHARLEVILLE RD., NORTH CIRCULAR RD.

HELD UNDER LEASE for 250 years, from 1883, subject to £4 12s. 0d. per annum. Immediate possession can be had, owner leaving Ireland.

Possession to purchaser. For further particulars and Conditions of Sale apply to

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AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS,
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SALE TO-DAY (WEDNESDAY), IN CONTINUATION,

TWELVE O'CLOCK,

HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

TRIMLESTON, BOOTERSTOWN.

ORDER OF TO-DAY'S SALE:—FURNITURE OF ALL BEDROOMS, then BASEMENT.

Terms—Cash and Five per cent.

IN ORDER TO PREVENT OVERCROWDING, A NOMINAL CHARGE OF SIXPENCE WILL BE MADE

BATTERSBY & CO.

20 MOUNTAIN VIEW ROAD, RANELAGH.

MESSRS. JAMES HILL AND SON HAVE BEEN FAVOURED WITH INSTRUCTIONS TO SELL BY AUCTION, ON THE PREMISES, AS ABOVE,

ON TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), SEPT. 20, 1917 (AT ONE O'CLOCK), PRECISELY,

THE REMAINING CONTENTS,

Comprising THE FURNISHING of SITTINGROOMS, BEDROOMS, AND DOMESTIC OFFICES; PICTURES, CHINA, GLASS, &c. ON VIEW MORNING OF SALE, FROM 10 O'CLOCK.

Terms—Cash and Five per cent. Auction Fees. N.B.—GOODS MUST BE CLEARED DAY FOLLOWING SALE

MESSRS. JAMES HILL & SON,

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.

SALE THIS DAY,

IN DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET,
Commencing at 11.30 o'clock sharp,

4,250 EWES, WETHERS, AND LAMBS.

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STORE CATTLE AUCTION

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AUTUMN SHEEP SALES.

OUR NEXT AUCTION OF BROOD EWES, WETHERS, AND LAMBS Will be Held on

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th.

Early entries respectfully requested.

GANLY, SONS, & CO.,
USHER'S QUAY, DUBLIN.

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SCHOLASTIC.

HOME and Education Wanted with gentleman's son, 9-12, as companion for boy 9; Co. Cork preferred; terms must be moderate; references exchanged. Apply "Continentship," Irish Times Office, Cork.

LADY would take charge of boy of 5 years or therabouts; nursery governess; every care and attention given. Address "Z 3528, Governess," this office. 7 19

MERRION road—Girls' and small Boys' Classes now Re-starting.—E 751, this office.

BUSINESS SALE AND WANTED.

BUSINESS Premises, No. 161 Parnell st., as a going concern, for Sale or Letting. Full particulars from A. E. Hyde, 161 Lower Gardiner street.

GENERAL Grocery, Provision, and Sundries Concern for Sale, where a good trade can be done; nice dwelling; rent about £40; small rent—Parnell street, 114 Thomas st.

HOUSE, Good Guest House, in best locality, for Sale; at present full; satisfactory reason for selling.—E 975, this office.

PREMISES, LANDS, ETC.

RABBIT BURROWS WANTED.

Well stocked Demesnes Wanted by Ireland's Premier Rabbit Trapper for cash. Apply Alex. D. Aird, Timoney Park, Mullingar. Also Rabbits Cottages, Ballycommon, or Castlecomer Demesne, Co. Cork. 9 13

AT Rathcoigh—Shop and House for Sale, best position, ground rent £8 0.0, lease 900 years. Ker at 22 Upper Rathmines avenue.

ENNISCORTHY—House and Shop, plate glass front-age, let at £50 net, for Sale, or would exchange for central position; suit picture house.—E 1063, this office.

GOOD Site for Business Premises in Lower Abbey st., to be sold or let on lease. Apply on premises or specially favourable terms. Address "Z 3455, Site," this office.

OFFICES—Two beautiful newly built Flats, established Photographic studio, 14 years, suit solicitor, dentist—10 Henry st.

WANTED, Shop and four Rooms in Number 2 South City Ward.—P 925, this office.

WANTED, Tillage Land on Conacre, Counties Dublin, Kildare; tractor plough-ing undertaken as above.—E 1046, this office.

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AUCTION, Tuesday, 25th September, at Wren's Auction Rooms, 9 Bachelor's Walk—The valuable lands (arable & pasture) of Ballyhaise, containing 219a. 2r. 9p., statute measure, situate in the townland of Kenlis, Ardnaglass, and Tyrer, Low Valuation £177 9s., subject to the Land Purchase annuity of £12 14s., Poor Law Valuation £21 5s., and are convenient to the railway station, and within a mile of the town.

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HOUSES WANTED.

HOUSE Wanted, detached or semi-detached, 8 rooms; electric light; good garden; long lease, low head rent; immediate possession; near tram.—E 938, this office.

HOUSE Wanted to Rent on Rathgar or Terenure road; not to exceed £65, inclusive.—E 950, this office.

HOUSE Wanted, without basement, suburbs; good garden; near tram or train; £55-£70.—E 1031, this office.

SMALL House, 1st October, 5 months, South side, Dublin or suburbs, compact, nice, Furnished, Unfurnished; must be moderate; two ladies, excellent tenants.—E 978, this office.

SMALL House, Dublin or South side of city; between £20 and £26 per rent.—E 1008, this office.

WANTED, four roomed Cottage, in or near city; rent moderate. Address "Z 3422, Cottage," this office.

WANTED, Cottage with yard, suitable for General Smith's Forge; in or about Palmerstown, County Dublin.—E 1011, this office.

WANTED to Purchase Modern House South suburbs; must be for bargain.—E 906, this office.

WANTED, Furnished House, Dublin or suburbs; no basement; electric light; garden; £55, free.—E 856, this office.

WANTED, House, £28 to £34; desirable tenant; no children.—E 1058, this office.

WANTED to Rent, nice House, with poultry run or field. Address "Z 3484, House," this office.

WANTED, November, for year, small Unfurnished House, South Dublin or near Kingstown; three Rooms; £50 to £60. Address "Z 3492, House," this office.

WANTED, Small Cottage, suburbs Dublin. Address "Z 3497, Cottage," this office.

WANTED, Unfurnished House or House; rent £30 to £40; very careful tenant.—E 950, this office.

WANTED, Modern House or Cottage, rent about £35, North or South city.—E 1125, this office.

WANTED, to Rent, Furnished, or Unfurnished, at state rent.—B O 146, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

WANTED to Buy, House, South side; good garden; bargain. Address "Z 3414, House," this office.

WANTED, House, with 3 large rooms attached, for Protestant School. Address "Z 3531, House," this office.

APARTMENTS TO LET. DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

A PARTMENTS—Free Lists from Central Bureau Agency, 25 Nassau st.

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BOARD Residence, Gentleman, comfortable, 1d. tram; moderate for permanency.—127 Upper Rathmines.

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NORTH Circular road, 583 (Richmond place), main road, between Richmond st. and Arthur's Avenue, substantial House, 8 apartments, large rear; stabling; no ground rent; lease for ever; sale To-day, Mac-Arthur's Auction, Friday, 5th October, Saleroom, 79 Talbot st.

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RAYMOND'S—Fine Apartment Houses; long lease; low ground rent; together or separately; part cash will do.—E 901, this office.

SANDYMOUNT—58 Serpentine avenue; Administratrix Sale; comfortable double fronted Cottage Residence; 7 apartments, bath, garden in front, large plot at rear; let at £45; ground rent 28; 440 years; desirable residential position, close to tram; sale To-day, Mac-Arthur's Auction, Friday, 5th October, Saleroom, 79 Talbot st.

TERENURE—One or more Houses for Sale; good position; let at £50 each.—E 1065, this office.

YORK road, Upper Rathmines, for Sale, comfortable, well decorated modern House; 9 apartments, drawingroom, dininroom, containing latest fireplaces, four bedrooms, bathroom, h. and c., servant's room, kitchen, etc. Apply above.

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